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OFFICE OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL.

Edmonton, March 15th, 1906

To the

CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY

Of the *Province of Alberta.*

This is to certify that the following named persons have been duly elected to represent the Electoral Districts set opposite their respective names in the First Legislative Assembly of the Province.

NAME OF MEMBER	ELECTORAL DISTRICT	P.O. ADDRESS
Alexander Cameron Rutherford.	Strathcona	Strathcona
William Henry Cushing	Calgary City	Calgary
Charles Wilson Cross	Edmonton City. . .	Edmonton
William Thomas Finlay	Medicine Hat. . . .	Medicine Hat
Charles Wellington Fisher	Banff	Cochrane
William Fletcher Bredin	Athabasca	Lesser Slave Lake
Thomas Allan Brick	Peace River	Peace River Crossing
John Robert McLeod	Ponoka	Edberg
William Charles Simmons	Lethbridge.	Lethbridge
Cornelius Hiebert	Rosebud.	Didsbury
Anthony Sigwart de Rosenroll	Wetaskiwin	Wetaskiwin
John A. Simpson	Innisfail	Innisfail
William Franklin Puffer	Lacombe.	Lacombe
Albert John Robertson	High River.	Nanton
Charles Allan Stuart.	Gleichen	Calgary
Malcolm McKenzie	Macleod	Macleod
John William Woolf	Cardston.	Cardston
John Thomas Moore	Red Deer.	Red Deer
Henry William McKenney	St. Albert	Edmonton
Matthew McCauley	Vermilion	Tofield
Robert Taylor Telford	Leduc	Leduc
John Allan McPherson	Stoney Plain	Spruce Grove
John Plumer Marcellus.	Pincher Creek	Pincher Creek
John Robert Boyle	Sturgeon	Edmonton
Francis Austin Walker.	Victoria	Fort Saskatchewan

M. J. MACLEOD,

Clerk of the Executive Council.



G. H. V. BULYEA,
Lieutenant Governor.

[L.S.]

CANADA
Province of Alberta

PROCLAMATION

C. W. CROSS,
Attorney General.

} BY virtue of the power and authority in
me vested, and by and with the advice
and consent of the Executive Council of the
Province of Alberta, I have thought fit to summon the Legislative
Assembly of the said *Province* to meet for the DESPATCH OF
BUSINESS at *Edmonton* in the said *Province*, on THURSDAY
the FIFTEENTH day of MARCH, A.D. 1906, of which all
persons concerned are required to take notice and govern
themselves accordingly.

Given under my hand and the Seal of the said *Province* at
Edmonton, this Fifteenth day of February in the Year
of Our Lord one thousand nine hundred and six and in
the Sixth year of His Majesty's Reign.

By Command,
W. T. FINLAY,
Provincial Secretary.

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FIRST SESSION—FIRST LEGISLATURE.

THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

This being the First Day of the First Session of the First Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, for the Despatch of Business pursuant to a proclamation of His Honour George Hedley Vicars Bulyea, Lieutenant Governor, and the House having met, the following certificates were delivered by the Clerk of the Executive Council to the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly :

Office of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, EDMONTON.

To the CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
Edmonton, Alberta.

SIR,—Under the provisions of The Territories Elections Ordinance, I hereby give you notice that William Fletcher Bredin, of Lesser Slave Lake, Alberta, was on the 31st day of October, 1905, elected by acclamation to represent the Electoral Division of Athabasca in the Legislative Assembly of Alberta.

Dated at the Executive Council Chamber, Edmonton, this 8th day of September, 1905.

J. K. MACDONALD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

MARCH 15

Office of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, EDMONTON.

January 18, 1906.

To the CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
Edmonton, Alberta.

SIR,—Under the provisions of The Territories Elections Ordinance, I hereby give you notice that the following persons were on the Ninth day of November, 1905, elected to represent the Electoral Division set opposite their respective names in the Legislative Assembly of Alberta :

J. W. Woolf, Cardston.
C. W. Cross, Edmonton.
Albert John Robertson, High River.
W. B. Puffer, Lacombe.
R. T. Telford, Leduc.
L. G. DeVeber, Lethbridge.
M. McKenzie, Macleod.
John R. Macleod, Ponoka.
J. T. Moore, Red Deer.
C. Hiebert, Rosebud.
H. W. McKenney, St. Albert.
J. A. McPherson, Stony Plain.
J. R. Boyle, Sturgeon.
A. C. Rutherford, Strathcona.
M. McCauley, Vermilion.
F. A. Walker, Victoria.
A. S. Rosenroll, Wetaskiwin.

Your obedient servant,
J. K. MACDONALD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Office of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, EDMONTON.

January 30, 1906.

To the CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
Edmonton, Alberta.

SIR,—Under the provisions of The Territories Elections Ordinance, I hereby give you notice that the following persons were on the Ninth day of November, 1905, elected to represent the Electoral Divisions set opposite their respective names in the Legislative Assembly of Alberta :

C. W. Fisher, Banff.
W. H. Cushing, Calgary.
Charles A. Stuart, Gleichen.
John A. Simpson, Innisfail.

Your obedient servant,
M. J. MACLEOD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Office of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, EDMONTON.
January 31, 1906.

To the CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
Edmonton, Alberta.

SIR,—Under the provisions of The Territories Elections Ordinance, I hereby give you notice that J. P. Marcellus was on the Ninth day of November, 1905, elected to represent the Electoral Division of Pincher Creek in the Legislative Assembly of Alberta.

Your obedient servant,
M. J. MACLEOD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Office of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, EDMONTON.
February 1, 1906.

To the CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
Edmonton, Alberta.

SIR,—Under the provisions of The Territories Elections Ordinance, I hereby give you notice that W. T. Finlay was on the Ninth day of November, 1905, elected to represent the Electoral Division of Medicine Hat, in the Legislative Assembly of Alberta.

Your obedient servant,
M. J. MACLEOD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

Office of the EXECUTIVE COUNCIL, EDMONTON.
March 15, 1906.

To the CLERK OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY,
Edmonton, Alberta.

SIR,—I have to advise you that I am in receipt of Returning Officer George E. McLeod's declaration of election for the Electoral District of Peace River declaring Thomas Allan Brick elected a Member of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta on February 24th, 1906.

Your obedient servant,
M. J. MACLEOD,
Clerk of the Executive Council.

The Members having been duly sworn at the office of the Lieutenant Governor by His Honour and having subscribed to the Roll containing the Oath on this date took their seats, all being present except L. G. DeVeber.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor entered the House and took his seat on the Throne.

The Provincial Secretary then said :

I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to inform you that he does not see fit to declare the causes of the summoning of the present Legislature of this Province until a Speaker of this House shall have been chosen according to law ; but today at the hour of three thirty o'clock His Honour will declare the causes of the calling of this Legislature.

His Honour then retired.

The Premier, Mr. Rutherford, addressing the Clerk, nominated Charles Wellington Fisher, Esquire, Member for the Electoral Division of Banff, to take the Chair of this House as a Speaker, seconded by the Attorney General.

The Clerk having asked if there were other nominations, put the motion and declared the "Ayes" have it. He then declared Charles Wellington Fisher duly elected Speaker.

The Speaker retired and re-entered the House between the Premier and the Attorney General, who escorted him to the Chair.

The Speaker, standing on the upper step, briefly thanked the House for the honour conferred upon him. The Speaker took his seat and the Mace was placed on the Table by the Clerk.

His Honour returned to the House and took his seat on the Throne.

Mr. Speaker then said :

May it please Your Honour, the Legislative Assembly have elected me as their Speaker, though I am but little able to fulfil the important duties thus assigned to me. If in the performance of those duties I should at any time fall into error I pray that the fault may be imputed to me and not to the Assembly, whose servant I am, and who, through me, the better to enable them to discharge their duty to their King and country, hereby claim all their endowed rights and privileges especially that they may have freedom of speech in their debates and access to your person at all seasonable times, and that their proceedings may receive from you the most favourable construction.

The Provincial Secretary then said :

I am commanded by His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to declare to you that he freely confides in the duty and attachment of the Assembly to His Majesty's person and Government and not doubting that their proceedings will be conducted with wisdom, temper and prudence he grants and upon all occasions will recognize and allow their constitutional privileges.

I am commanded also to assure you that the Assembly shall have ready access to His Honour upon all suitable occasions and all their proceedings as well as their work and actions will constantly receive from him the most favourable construction.

His Honour then read the following Speech from the Throne :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:--

It affords me great pleasure to welcome you to the performance of your duties upon this the occasion of the opening of the First Legislature of the Province of Alberta.

The advent of Provincial Autonomy in this and in our sister Province of Saskatchewan is a matter of gratification and pride not only to our own people but to the Dominion as a whole, and in your name I thank the people of the older Provinces for the expressions of goodwill towards us voiced in the Addresses adopted in their respective representative Assemblies, and greet them as kinsmen in the great family of Confederation into which we now are proud to enter. I congratulate each one of you upon being privileged to take part in an

event fraught with so much importance to this Dominion, and particularly to Western Canada, as the opening of this first representative Assembly in the Province.

Our thanks are due to Divine Providence for the bountiful harvest with which we were blessed during the past year. Inasmuch as the fruits of the soil are at the basis of the material prosperity of any country the glorious heritage to which the people of this Province have been called justifies a boundless confidence in its future.

It is my privilege on your behalf to offer to Our Sovereign Lord King Edward the Seventh and to Her Most Gracious Majesty Queen Alexandra the continued loyalty and devotion of our people. It is a matter of gratification to us that we are shortly to be honoured by a visit from His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught.

It is with pleasure that I extend a welcome on your behalf to the settlers that have poured into this Province during the past year; and while it is a matter of congratulation that settlement has increased with such unparalleled activity it is still more gratifying to observe the high standard of the character of that immigration. It shall be the especial care of my Government to encourage such settlement by every available means.

All sections of the Province bear evidence of steadily increasing activity and enterprise on the part of our people, especially in agriculture, dairying and kindred pursuits. The rapid advancement and growing importance of the dairying industry requires that sufficiently ample provision be made for its assistance and encouragement by my Government, and in this connection the establishment and maintenance of creameries controlled by the Government will be a matter to which your attention will early be directed. The importance of such provision to the farming community can scarcely be overestimated.

Proper provision for an active policy for the improvement of live stock and agriculture generally will also engage your attention. Measures will be submitted to you looking towards the registration of brands and the protection of those engaged in the industry of cattle raising. In this connection, also, it is felt that the public grant to exhibitions might well be somewhat augmented, and you will be asked to pass upon an amendment of the law in this regard.

The organization of the Province upon proper constitutional lines is a matter of the first importance and in order that public affairs may be efficiently and expeditiously conducted it is necessary that the management of the several branches of the Public Service be put in charge of appropriate Departments. To this end measures will be submitted for your approval providing for the proper and efficient organization of the several Departments of the Public Service.

The influx of immigration and rapid settlement of the Province renders imperative a progressive policy with regard to the construction and repair of roads and bridges, and your consent will be asked to the provisions it is proposed to make for this purpose.

The duties devolving upon the Province in relation to the Administration of Justice within its borders and the care of its insane, as well as the necessary provisions for its public buildings will likewise be brought before you, and your consent will be asked to the provisions in this regard included in the estimates of the expenditure for the coming year.

The growing necessities of commercial and social activity in the Province require that telephonic communication between the different sections of the Province should be rendered as inexpensive and

effective as possible, and your careful attention will therefore be directed to the consideration of providing means towards this end.

Insomuch as the present law with relation to Mechanics' Liens, their registration and enforcement, is found in many respects to bear hardly upon the labouring classes a measure will be submitted for your approval providing means whereby the rights enjoyed by all mechanics or labourers under the present law may be rendered capable of enforcement in a simple and inexpensive way.

The present law governing public health and sanitation having been found by practical experience to be unworkable and in many respects inadequate to meet the growing necessities of the Province my Government is desirous of making provision for every phase of public health and sanitation, and a measure will therefore be submitted to you looking towards this end and providing for the proper and effectual enforcement of the provisions of the law in this regard.

Among the other measures which will be submitted to you are : A Bill providing for the registration of titles of land in the Province; a Bill making provision for the establishment at such time as the growth of the Province warrants of a Provincial University ; Bills providing for the appointment of such public officers as Coroners, Justices of the Peace, Sheriffs, and Clerks of the Court.

The present law relating to the regulation of coal mines and the inspection of steam boilers having proved inadequate in practice legislation in this regard will also be brought to your notice.

The Public Accounts will be laid before you for your consideration at the earliest possible moment and the Estimates for the coming year will also be submitted to you for your approval at an early date.

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:—

To the several matters herein referred to and to all others that may be brought before you, I invite your careful attention, with the fullest confidence that the result of your deliberations will be beneficial to the Province and to the Dominion as a whole.

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor then retired from the House.

Mr. Speaker informed the House that in order to prevent mistakes, he had obtained a copy of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, which was laid on the Table.

Ordered, That Mr. A. C. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill entitled " An Act respecting the Administration of Oaths of Office to persons appointed as Justices of the Peace."

Mr. Rutherford moved, and Mr. Cross seconded, and it was Resolved, That the Bill be read a first time.

Mr. Rutherford moved, seconded by Mr. Cross,
That the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor to this House be taken into consideration Monday next.
So ordered.

Mr. Rutherford moved, seconded by Mr. Cross,
That the Select Standing Committees of this House for the present Session be appointed for the following purposes :

1. On Privileges and Elections.
2. On Railways.

3. On Miscellaneous Private Bills.
4. On Standing Orders.
5. On Public Accounts.
6. On Printing.
7. On Municipal Law.
8. On Legal Bills.
9. On Agriculture and Colonization.

Which said several Committees shall severally be empowered to examine and inquire into all such matters and things as shall be referred to them by the House and to report from time to time their observations and opinions thereon with power to send for persons, papers and records.

So ordered.

Read.

Mr. Rutherford moved and Mr. Cushing seconded,

That a Special Committee of eight Members be appointed to prepare and report with all convenient speed lists of Members to Select Standing Committees ordered by this House to be composed as follows :

Messrs. Rutherford, Cushing, Rosenroll, Robertson, Woolf, Simpson, McCauley and Bredin.

So ordered.

Moved by Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr Cross,

That a Special Committee of eight Members be appointed to prepare Rules, Orders and Forms of Proceeding of the Legislature of the Province of Alberta, and report with all convenient speed, such Committee to be composed as follows :

The Attorney General, Messrs. McKenzie, Boyle, McKenney, Hiebert, Moore, McPherson and McLeod.

The House adjourned at 4.15 o'clock p.m. to Monday next, March 19th, at 3 o'clock p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 19, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

At 3 p.m. the Speaker took the Chair and the House immediately adjourned for one half hour.

Pursuant to the Orders of the Day upon re-assembling at 3.30,

Mr. Finlay presented petition from the Town Council of Medicine Hat, for incorporation as a City.

Mr. A. C. Rutherford presented the report of the Select Committee on the lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by the House, which was read as follows:—The Special Committee appointed to prepare and report with all convenient speed lists of Members to compose the Select Standing Committees ordered by this House beg leave to present the following lists as their report:

COMMITTEE ON PRIVILEGES AND ELECTIONS.—Messrs. Rutherford, Cushing, Cross, Robertson, McKenzie, Simpson, McLeod, Boyle, Brick, Stuart.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of six Members.

COMMITTEE ON RAILWAYS.—Messrs. Rutherford, Woolf, Marcellus, Robertson, Cushing, Stuart, Rosenroll, McCauley, Walker, Bredin, McPherson, McKenney, Boyle, Puffer, Telford, Hiebert, Brick, Cross.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of ten Members.

COMMITTEE ON MISCELLANEOUS PRIVATE BILLS.—Messrs. Rutherford, Cross, Hiebert, Telford, Moore, McKenzie, Bredin, McKenney, Robertson, Stuart.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of five Members.

COMMITTEE ON STANDING ORDERS.—Messrs. Rosenroll, Simpson, Finlay, Cross, Robertson, Cushing, McCauley, Stuart.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of four Members.

COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC ACCOUNTS.—Messrs. Moore, Cross, Rosenroll, Hiebert, Woolf, Marcellus, McKenney, Walker, Puffer, Bredin, McCauley.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of five Members.

COMMITTEE ON PRINTING.—Messrs. Rutherford, Cushing, Moore, Cross, Hiebert, McLeod.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of four Members.

COMMITTEE ON MUNICIPAL LAW.—Messrs. Cushing, McCauley, Cross, Robertson, Stuart, McKenzie, Boyle, Simpson, Rosenroll, Woolf, Puffer, Telford, Walker, Moore, Hiebert.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of seven Members.

COMMITTEE ON LEGAL BILLS.—Messrs. Stuart, Finlay, McKenzie, Rutherford, Cross, Boyle, McCauley, Hiebert, McLeod, McKenney.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of four Members.

COMMITTEE ON AGRICULTURE AND COLONIZATION.—Messrs. Finlay, Brick, Bredin, McPherson, Walker, Marcellus, Woolf, McCauley, Robertson, Moore, Simpson, Rutherford, Telford, McLeod, Rosenroll.

The quorum of said Committee to consist of eight Members.

The report was adopted.

Ordered, That Mr. A. C. Rutherford have leave to introduce the following Bills :

An Act respecting the Treasury Department and the auditing of Public Accounts. Second reading Monday.

An Act representing Coroners. Second reading Friday.

An Act respecting Public Service. Second reading Friday.

An Act respecting the Statutes. Second reading Thursday.

An Act respecting Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs. Second reading Friday.

Ordered, That the said Bills be read a first time.

Bills read a first time accordingly.

The Order of the Day being read for the consideration of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to the House,

Moved by Mr. Stuart, and seconded by Mr. Puffer,

That an humble Address be presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor of Alberta, as follows :

TO HIS HONOUR GEORGE HEDLEY VICARS BULYEA,
Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta.

We, His Majesty's most dutiful and loyal subjects the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, now assembled, beg leave to thank Your Honour for the gracious Speech which Your Honour has addressed to us.

And a debate following,

At 5 o'clock p.m., on the motion of Mr. Rutherford, the House adjourned to 3 o'clock p.m. Tuesday.

TUESDAY, MARCH 20, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Cross asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Department of the Attorney General.

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Friday.

Mr. Cross asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting Notaries Public.

Leave was granted and the Bill read a first time, and

Ordered, For second reading on Monday.

Mr. Cross asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting Clerks and Deputy Clerks.

Leave was granted and Bill was read a first time, and

Ordered, For second reading on Monday.

Mr. Cross asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting Commissioners to administer Oaths.

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and

Ordered, For second reading on Monday.

Mr. Cross asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting Police Magistrates and Justices of the Peace.

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and

Ordered, For a second reading on Monday.

Mr. Finlay asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Department of the Provincial Secretary.

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and

Ordered, For a second reading on Friday.

Mr. Finlay asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Department of Agriculture.

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and

Ordered, For a second reading on Friday.

Mr. Cushing asked for leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chapter 24 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (Second Session), intituled "An Ordinance respecting Local Improvement Districts."

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and
Ordered, For second reading on Monday.

Mr. Cushing asked for leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chapter 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Villages."

Leave granted and the Bill was read a first time, and Ordered, For second reading on Monday.

The Order of the Day being read for the further consideration of the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor at the opening of the Session,

The debate was continued.

Mr. Hiebert moved and Mr. Robertson seconded an amendment, that the words following be added to the motion :

That this House regrets that no mention is made in the Speech from the Throne that we have not received full Provincial Autonomy, but only what might be termed partial autonomy, inasmuch, that all Crown Lands have been withheld from us, all mines and minerals and all the streams and rivers for the utilization of water power and irrigation, all lakes and fisheries within the boundaries;

That we humbly regret that no reference is made of our being deprived of the right to levy an assessment upon the property of the Canadian Pacific Railway; in consequence the lands of the corporation do not contribute their share towards the construction of the roads and bridges and other necessities of the settler whose pioneer labours have helped to make these lands so valuable. That we regret that the timber has also been withheld from the Provinces and large tracts given away or sold for nonal consideration to private individuals or corporations from whom the pioneers of the Province are compelled to buy;

That we regret that the revenues from timber lands are not available for provincial purposes as they are in other provinces; that this House also views with grave apprehension the legislation outlined in the Speech from the Throne pertaining to mining. Knowing as we do that such legislation will throw upon this Government additional burdens of expenditure while the royalties of the products of the mines are collected by the Federal Government for the benefit of the Dominion;

That whereas, by the Autonomy Act the capital of the Province has been located at the City of Edmonton until such time as the Lieutenant Governor in Council otherwise directs, it is the opinion of this House that the Government should at once declare its policy on this question. That this House views with grave apprehension the fact that the right of legislating on education has been so much restricted by the Autonomy Bill with the result of tending to divide the people of the Province into two religious factions and in the opinion of this House such a condition of affairs will seriously retard the fostering of a united sentiment within the Province and may affect the unity of the whole Dominion.

In the settlement of this question the House regrets that the principal of equal rights to all and special privileges to none has not been kept in view.

This House further regrets that no reference has been made in the Speech from the Throne to the important question of a joint investigation by the four western Provinces to ascertain the feasibility of the Hudson's Bay route as an outlet for the farmer's products.

We hold this as of the greatest importance, especially when the eastern Provinces are straining every point to have our products shipped through them to the seaboard; whereas, if the Provinces of British Columbia, Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba built a railway to Hudson's Bay western Canada would be as near to the world's markets as is the City of Toronto or Montreal and the value of our products would be correspondingly increased.

In regard to the measure outlined pertaining to the telephone communication this House not only holds that such should be assisted but that the Province should own and operate all long distance telephones and that legislation should be passed providing for the ownership and control of local systems by the municipalities directly concerned.

Further that local and long distance telephones should be so connected and controlled so to provide the people of the country districts with a telephone service at least as cheap as that in the towns and cities.

This House observes with satisfaction the measures proposed for the encouragement of dairying, the improvement of live stock and other branches of farming and the building of roads and bridges.

The House believes, however, that the Government should go further and provide substantial assistance to the important industry of the raising of sugar beets and the manufacture of beet sugar an industry which distributes large amounts of money to the farmers and labourers of the country and is capable of immense development.

The debate continued.

Mr. J. T. Moore moved the adjournment of the debate.
Agreed.

Mr. Rutherford moved that the House adjourn to 3 p.m. to-morrow, Wednesday.
Carried.

The House adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 21, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rosenroll presented a petition in favour of the incorporation of The Edelweiss Club.

Mr. Rutherford asked for leave to introduce a Bill to establish and incorporate a University for the Province of Alberta.
Leave granted and the Bill was read a first time, and
Ordered, For second reading on Thursday of next week.

Mr. Cushing asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting Public Works.
Leave granted and the Bill was read a first time, and
Ordered, For second reading on Tuesday next.

Mr. Cross asked for leave to introduce a Bill respecting suits against the Crown by petition of right,

Leave granted, the Bill was read a first time, and
Ordered, For second reading on Monday next.

Mr. Cross asked leave to introduce a Bill respecting the transfer and descent of land in the Province.

Leave granted, and the Bill was read a first time, and
Ordered, For second reading on Monday next.

On motion of Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Cross,
That a Select Committee of ten Members be appointed to act with Mr. Speaker in the control and management of the library, to be composed as follows :

Messrs. Rutherford, Cross, Finlay, Cushing, McKenzie, Stuart, Simpson, Boyle, Robertson and Moore.

So ordered.

On motion of Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Cross,

That a Special Committee of six Members be appointed to act with Mr. Speaker *re* entertainment of His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught, to be composed as follows :

Messrs. Cushing, Cross, Bredin, Rosenroll and Rutherford.

So ordered.

On the Order of the Day being read for the further consideration of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's Speech to the House and the question being proposed,

Mr. Hiebert rose to make a personal explanation.

After hearing a portion of Mr. Heibert's remarks, the Speaker ruled they were out of order.

The debate continued.

And the question being again proposed the amendment was put and lost.

The motion was put and it was resolved in the affirmative.

Ordered, That the address be engrossed and presented to His Honour the Lieutenant Governor by such Members of this House as are Members of the Executive Council.

By leave of the House Mr. Rosenroll was allowed to present a petition from the Town of Wetaskiwin, and the same was referred to Committee on Standing Orders.

On the motion of the Premier, the House adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m. to meet Thursday at 3 o'clock p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 22, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The resignation of Dr. DeVeber, as a Member of the House, was read.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. Rutherford -Of the Town of Lethbridge, praying to be created a City.

By Mr. Rosenroll—For incorporation of The Edelweiss Club.

By Mr. Boyle—For incorporation of a Social Club in the Town of High River.

By Mr. Boyle—For incorporation of Alberta Canadian Insurance Company.

By Mr. McCauley—For incorporation of Vermilion and Cold Lake Railway Company.

By Mr. Marcellus—For incorporation of Alberta Oil, Coal and Wheat Railway Company.

By Mr. Marcellus—For incorporation of Crow's Nest and Prairie Electric Company.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented the following report :

That in respect of the petition of the Town of Medicine Hat for a private Bill to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat, the Rules of the House in respect to advertising have not been fully complied with. The Committee, however, recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended and that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders and private Bills, presented the following report :

That in respect of the petition of the Town of Wetaskiwin for a private Bill to establish the said Town into a City, the granting of certain special powers and defining the proposed limits of the City, the Rules of the House in respect of notice have not been fully complied with.

The Committee, however, recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented the following report :

That in respect to the petition of C. W. Sutter, Gustave Koerman and others, for a private Bill to incorporate The Edelweiss Club, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with and the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

On the motion of Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Cross,

Ordered, That John Robert Boyle, Member for the Electoral District of Sturgeon, be Deputy Speaker of the House.

Mr. Robertson claimed the indulgence of the House to make a statement with reference to the vote on the motion on the Speech of His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, taken yesterday. He explained that the Members of the Opposition did not fully understand that method of voting and he asked that a record be taken of the vote.

The Speaker said this could only be done by the unanimous consent of the House.

The House agreed.

The amendment moved by Mr. Hiebert and seconded by Mr. Robertson, to the motion of Mr. Stuart was then put to the House.

And the votes in the affirmative were, Messrs. Hiebert and Robertson.

And the votes against, Messrs. Boyle, Bredin, Brick, Cross, Cushing, Finlay, Marcellus, Moore, McKenzie, McLeod, McKenney, McCauley, McPherson, Puffer, Rutherford, Rosenroll, Stuart, Simpson, Telford, Walker.

The motion of Mr. Stuart was then put to the House and was declared carried by the same division of the Members.

Mr. Finlay asked for leave to introduce a Bill to repeal Ordinance No. 28 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1904, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The English Club."

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and Ordered, For second reading on April 2nd.

Mr. Finlay asked for leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat.

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and Ordered, For second reading Tuesday, March 27th.

Mr. Rosenroll asked for leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Edelweiss Club.

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and Ordered, For second reading on Thursday, the 29th.

Mr. Rosenroll asked leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin.

Leave was granted and the Bill was read a first time, and Ordered, For second reading Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 4) respecting the Statutes,

The said Bill was read the second time, and Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 4) respecting the Statutes, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again next Tuesday.

The House adjourned at 5.10 o'clock p.m. to meet Friday at 10.30 o'clock a.m.

FRIDAY, MARCH 23, 1906.

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (The Coroner's Act),

The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House
on Monday.

The Order of the Day being read for a second reading of the Bill
(respecting the Public Service),

The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on
Monday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the
Bill (respecting the Department of the Attorney General),

The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House
on Monday.

The Orders of the Day being read for the second reading the
Bills, (respecting Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs), (respecting Depart-
ment of Agriculture, (respecting Provincial Secretary),

Mr. Rutherford explained that these Bills were not printed.

The House adjourned to Monday next at 4 o'clock p.m.

MONDAY, MARCH 26, 1906.

4 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rosenroll presented a petition from J. H. Walker and nine
other persons respecting the application of the Town of Wetaskiwin
for incorporation as a city, and praying that the limits of the present
town be the limits of the city.

Mr. Cross presented a petition from the City of Edmonton pray-
ing that the Bill *re* The Edmonton Charter be passed.

Report of Committee on Rules was presented.
Ordered, That same be received and concurred in.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders,
presented the following report :

That in respect of the petition of Alwyn Bramley Moore and
others for a Private Bill to incorporate The Vermilion and Cold Lake
Railway Company, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have
not been fully complied with. The Committee recommend that Rules
52 and 66 be suspended and that leave be granted to introduce the
Bill.

The Committee further recommend that after second reading, the
Bill be referred to the Committee on Railways.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and
read a first time, and

Ordered, For second reading on Thursday.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders,
presented the following report :

That in respect of the petition of Alexander Cameron and others praying for the incorporation of 'The Crow's Nest and Prairie Railway Company, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with. The Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

The Committee further recommend that after second reading the Bill be referred to Committee on Railways.

Ordered, That report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

That in respect of the petition of the Town of Lethbridge for a private Bill to incorporate the City of Lethbridge, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with. The Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

That in respect of the petition of John A. McDougall and others for a private Bill to incorporate The Alberta Canadian Insurance Company, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with. The Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

The Committee further recommend that after the second reading the Bill be referred to a Select Committee.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart gave notice that he would introduce a Bill respecting Dental Surgeons.

Mr. A. C. Rutherford gave notice that on Wednesday he would introduce a Bill respecting Public Printing.

Mr. Cross gave notice that on Wednesday he would introduce a Bill respecting Mechanics and Labourers.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 3) respecting Public Service, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked that the Committee have leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the Committee have leave to sit again at next sitting of the House.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 2) respecting Coroners, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked that the Committee have leave to sit again.

Ordered, That Committee have leave to sit again at next sitting of the House.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 9) respecting the Attorney General,

and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked that the Committee have leave to sit again.

Ordered, That Committee have leave to sit again at next sitting of the House.

The House then adjourned at 6 o'clock p.m. to 3 o'clock p.m. to-morrow.

TUESDAY, MARCH 27, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. C. A. Stuart—For the Western Canada College, praying for amendments of Ch. 39 of 1903 (First Session).

By Mr. J. T. Moore—For the Town of Red Deer, praying for extended boundaries, etc.

By Mr. McKenzie—For C. F. P. Conybeare and five others, for incorporation of The Empire Club.

By Mr. Marcellus—For W. G. Lynch and twelve others, for incorporation of The Pincher Creek Club.

By Mr. H. McKenney—For Right Rev. Emil J. Legal, O.M.I., of the town of St. Albert, for the incorporation of Parishes and Missions.

Mr. Boyle asked for leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Alberta Canadian Insurance Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday.

Mr. Cushing gave notice that he would introduce a Bill on Thursday relating to Coal Mines.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 1) respecting the Treasury Department and Auditing of Public Accounts,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 5) respecting Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of Whole House on Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 6) respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole House on Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 7) respecting Police Magistrates and Justices of the Peace,
The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of Whole House on Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 8) respecting Notaries Public,
The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of Whole House on Thursday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 10) respecting Clerks and Deputy Clerks,
The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Thursday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 11) respecting the Department of Agriculture,
The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of Whole House on Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 12) respecting Department of Provincial Secretary,
The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Wednesday.

The Order of the day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 13) to amend Ch. 24 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Local Improvement Districts,"
The said Bill was
Ordered, To lay on the Table until Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 14) respecting an Act to amend Ch. 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Villages,"
The said Bill was
Ordered, To lay on the Table until Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 15), intituled "A Bill respecting the Transfer and Descent of Land in the Province,"
The said Bill was after discussion read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Friday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of Whole House on the Bill (No. 3) intituled "A Bill respecting the Public Service," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.
Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 3) be read a third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of Whole House on the Bill (No. 2) respecting Coroners, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That Bill (No. 2) be read a third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of Whole House on the Bill (No. 4) respecting the Statutes, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 4) be read a third time on Thursday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of Whole House on the Bill (No. 9) respecting Attorney General, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 9) be read a third time on Thursday next.

The House adjourned at 4.45 o'clock p.m. to Wednesday at 3 o'clock.

WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. Bredin—Of J. M. Robinson and four others, praying for incorporation of The Edmonton and Athabasca Development Company.

By Mr. Bredin—Of J. M. Robinson and four others, praying for incorporation of The Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company.

By Mr. Finlay—Of W. Cousins and twelve others, against including the N. W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29-12-5 west of the Fourth Meridian within the city limits of Medicine Hat.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders and Private Bills, presented the following reports :

That in respect of the petition of the Bishop of St. Albert applying for incorporation of Parishes and Missions of the Catholic Church in the Province of Alberta, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto, that leave be taken to introduce the Bill and that the fee be returned.

That in respect to the application of The Western Canada College for an Act to amend Chapter 39 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (First Session), intituled, "An Ordinance to incorporate the Western Canada College," the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill and that the fee be returned.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

That in respect of the application of the Town of Red Deer for a private Bill to extend the limits of said town and to increase the borrowing powers and grant certain special rights and powers, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

That in respect of the application of the City of Edmonton for a private Bill to amend the Edmonton Charter, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

That in respect of the petition of C. F. P. Conybeare and others of the Town of Lethbridge for a private Bill to incorporate The Empire Club, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

That in respect to the petition of Walter G. Lynch and others of the Village of Pincher Creek for a private Bill to incorporate The Pincher Creek Club, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto, and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart gave notice that on Friday next he will ask for leave to introduce a Bill intituled "An act respecting the Medical Profession."

Mr. J. T. Moore gave notice that on Friday, the 30th inst., he would ask leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Pharmaceutical Association of Alberta.

Mr. Finlay gave notice that on Friday next he would introduce a Bill intituled "An Act respecting Inspection of Stock and Hides."

Mr. Stuart gave notice of a motion which he will move on Friday next respecting votes cast in the Electoral Districts of the Province.

Mr. Rutherford gave notice that he will move that when the House adjourns on Thursday it will stand adjourned to Friday at 10.30 and Monday at 4 p.m.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Public Printing.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenney have leave to introduce a Bill to provide for the incorporation of Parishes and Missions of the Catholic Church in the Province of Alberta,

And he accordingly presented the Bill.

The same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill for the benefit of Mechanics and Labourers.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Dental Association of Alberta.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chapter 39 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (First Session), intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The Western Canada College."

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenzie have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the City of Lethbridge.

He accordingly presented the Bill and it was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, For second reading on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 13) respecting an Act to amend Chapter 24 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Local Improvement Districts,"

The Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Thursday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 14) respecting an Act to amend Chapter 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Villages,"

The Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 16) respecting Suits against the Crown by petition of right, Said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 17), respecting Public Works,

The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House
on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the
Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat.
Said Bill not being printed, was
Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee
of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 5) respecting Sheriffs and
Deputy Sheriffs, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker
resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for
leave to sit again Thursday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee
of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 11) respecting the Department
of Agriculture, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed
the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 11) be read a third time on Monday
next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee
of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 12) respecting the Department
of Provincial Secretary, and after some time spent therein Mr.
Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with
amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 12) be read a third time Monday
next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee
of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 14) respecting an Act to amend
Chapter 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, intituled
"An Ordinance respecting Villages," and after some time spent
therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported
the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 14) be read a third time on Tuesday
next.

The House adjourned to Thursday at 3 o'clock p.m.

THURSDAY, MARCH 29, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. Boyle—Of Chas. Burnell and others asking for legislation
regarding Automobiles.

The petition to be read to the House on Monday.

By Mr. Stuart—Of the Corporation of the City of Calgary, praying for amendment of the North-West Territories Ordinance incorporating the said City.

By Mr. Stuart—Of The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company, praying to be incorporated in the Province of Alberta.

By Mr. Stuart—Of The Occidental Fire Insurance Company, praying to be incorporated in the Province of Alberta.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report :

That in respect to the petition of F. J. Smith and others for the incorporation of the Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

That in respect to the petition of J. M. Robinson and others praying for the incorporation of The Edmonton and Athabasca Development Company, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended and leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 18) to establish and incorporate a University for the Province of Alberta,

Mr. Rutherford asked that the Bill be held over, as the Bill was not printed.

The Bill was accordingly held over.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 1) respecting the Treasury Department and auditing of Public Accounts,

The Bill was accordingly read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House on Friday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin,

The Bill was held over, not printed.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 22) to incorporate The Edelweiss Club,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 23) to incorporate Vermilion and Cold Lake Railway Company,

The Bill was held over, not printed.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 17) respecting Public Works, and

after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be received, and that the Committee have leave to sit again at next sitting of House.

The House adjourned till 10.30 o'clock a.m. on Friday.

FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1906.

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. Rutherford—Of W. M. Hill and six others, praying for the incorporation of The Strathcona Club.

By Mr. Rutherford—Of John Walter and two others, praying for amendment of The Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance of 1904.

By Mr. Stuart—Of Daniel N. Henderson, praying the House to pass an Act permitting him to register as a member of The College of Dental Surgeons of the North-West Territories.

By Mr. McKenzie—From the Town of Macleod asking for increased powers.

By Mr. Cross—Of Geo. J. Kinnaird and Harrison J. Young, praying for the incorporation of the St. Andrew's Society of Edmonton.

By Mr. McKenzie—Of Isaac S. G. Van Wart and five others, asking for incorporation of The Southern Alberta Railway Company.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report that they have examined the following petition of P. Burns & Co. and others, praying that certain lands be not included within the limits of the proposed City of Wetaskiwin. The Committee recommend that the said petition be received.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report that they have examined the following petition of W. Cousins and others against including the N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 29 Township 12 Range 5 west Fourth Meridian within the limits of the proposed City of Medicine Hat. The Committee desired to call the attention of the House that the said petition is not addressed to this Assembly, contains no prayer and is otherwise not in proper form. The Committee recommend that the petition should not be received in its present form.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart moved that an Order of the House do issue for a return showing the total number of votes cast in each Electoral District of the Province at the election held on November 9, 1905, and also at the election of a Member for the Electoral District of Peace River, including in each case spoiled or rejected ballots, contested ballots, and ballots counted.

So ordered.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlay have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Stock and Hides.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday.

Ordered, That the rule respecting notice for introduction of Bills be suspended and that Mr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Monday, April 9.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle, acting for Mr. Moore, have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Chemists and Druggists.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Friday.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenzie have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Empire Club.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the Medical Profession.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Friday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Edmonton Charter.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Friday next.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 3) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Public Service."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 2) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Coroners."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 4) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Statutes."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 9) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, that the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Department of the Attorney General."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 25) respecting the Alberta Canadian Insurance Company,

The Bill held over, not printed,

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 13) respecting an Act to amend Chapter 24 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Local Improvement Districts," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at next sitting of the House.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole, *re* the Bill (No. 8) respecting Notaries Public, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole *re* the Bill (No. 10) respecting Clerks and Deputy Clerks, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at next sitting of the House.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 6) respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time on Monday next.

The House adjourned at 12.45 p.m. to Monday next at 4 p.m.

MONDAY, APRIL 2, 1906.

4 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented:

By Mr. McKenney—Of the town of St. Albert, praying that By-law No. 1 of said town be confirmed by the Legislature.

By Mr. Marcellus—Of John Henry and five others, praying for the Incorporation of a Company to be called "The Western Oil and Coal Consolidated."

By Mr. Cross—Of H. A. Morgan and sixteen others, praying for the incorporation of The Alberta Association of Architects.

The petition of Charles Burnell and others respecting Automobiles was read to the House.

Ordered, To be received and filed.

Ordered, That Mr. Bredin have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, For second reading on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Bredin have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Development Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Monday next.

Ordered, That the Rules respecting notice for introducing of Bills be suspended and that Mr. Cushing have leave to introduce a Bill relating to Steam Boilers.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading Tuesday, April 10th.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 8) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Notaries Public."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 6) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill be now passed, and be intituled "An Act respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 11) be now read a third time.

Said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Department of Agriculture."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 12) be now read a third time.

Said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Department of the Provincial Secretary."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 5) respecting Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Wednesday,

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 7) respecting Police Magistrates and Justices of the Peace, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 15) respecting the Transfer and Descent of Land in the Province, and after some time spent therein

Mr. Speaker the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 1) respecting the Treasury Department and Auditing of Public Accounts, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

At 5.55 o'clock p.m. the House adjourned to 3 o'clock p.m. Tuesday.

TUESDAY, APRIL 3, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Finlay presented the petition of James Ray and thirteen others, praying that the North-West Section 29 Township 12 Range 5 west of the Fourth Meridian be not included in the Town of Medicine Hat.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to report that with respect to the petition of the Town of St. Albert, praying for an Act confirming a certain By-law of the said town, the Rules of the House with respect to publication of notice have not been fully complied with, and recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended with respect thereto, and that leave be given to introduce the said Bill.

Ordered, That said report be now received and concurred in.

The Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to report that with respect to the petition of John Hendry and five others, praying for an Act to incorporate them under the name of "Western Oil and Coal Consolidated," the Rules of the House with respect to publication have not been fully complied with, and beg leave to recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended with respect thereto, and leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That said report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Hiebert gave notice that on Thursday he would move that an Order of this House do issue for return giving in respect of each Polling Subdivision, each Provincial Constituency throughout the Province of Alberta, the name and address of each Returning Officer, the names and addresses of each Deputy Returning Officer, Polling Clerk, Constable, and the names of the Scrutineers and Agents of each and all candidates, also the number of spoiled, rejected and disputed ballots at the election held in the said Province of Alberta on the 9th day of November, A.D. 1905, or on days subsequent thereto.

Mr. Boyle gave notice that on Thursday next he would ask for leave to introduce a Bill, intituled "A Bill to regulate the Speed and Operation of Vehicles on Highways."

Mr. Cross asked for leave to move that the Bill to amend the Edmonton Charter, which was ordered for second reading on Friday next, be now read a second time.

Leave was given.

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle, for Mr. Marcellus, have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Western Oil and Coal Consolidated.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday.

On the Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 14) to amend Chapter 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Villages," it was

Ordered, That the said Bill be recommitted to the Committee of the Whole.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 1) respecting the Treasury Department, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That the report be received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 17) respecting Public Works, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again to-morrow.

Ordered, That the report be received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 5.55 o'clock p.m. to Wednesday at 3 p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 4, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. Rutherford—Of W. Douglas and six hundred and sixty-seven others, praying that a law be enacted during this Session providing that a wife shall have an inchoate right of dower as she has in the Province of Ontario.

By Mr. Telford for Mr. Moore—Of R. L. Gaetz and four others, praying for incorporation of The Red Deer Radial Tramway Company.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to report with respect to The Strathcona Radial Tramway Company, Limited, praying for an Act amending The Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance of 1904, the Rules of the House with respect to publication of notice have not been fully complied with, and beg leave that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended with respect thereto and that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the said report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to report with respect to the petition of F. H. Sache and six others, praying for an Act incorporating The Strathcona Club, the Rules of the House with respect to publication notice have not been fully complied with, and beg leave that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended with respect thereto, and that leave be given to introduce the said Bill.

Ordered, That the said report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to report with respect to the petition of the City of Calgary, praying for the passing of an Act extending the powers of the said city validating certain debentures of the said city and consolidating the floating debt of the said city, that the Rules of the House regarding publication of notice have not been fully complied with, and beg leave to recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended with respect thereto, and that leave be given to introduce the said Bill.

Ordered, That the said report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to report with respect to the petition of the Town of Macleod, praying for the passing of an Act extending the powers of the said town, that the Rules of the House regarding publication of notice have not been fully complied with, and recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended with respect thereto, and that leave be given to introduce the said Bill.

Ordered, That the said report be now received and concurred in.

By leave of the House, Mr. Heibert asked a question respecting the time after which no further Bills will be received.

Mr. Rutherford replied that under the circumstances Bills would be received until within a reasonable period of the close of the Session.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill to amend The Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance 1904.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Tuesday.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Strathcona Club of the Town of Strathcona.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill to amend the Ordinance incorporating the City of Calgary.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 5) intituled "A Bill respecting Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs" be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of Whole on the Bill (No. 14) to amend Chapter 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Villages," recommitted, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of Whole on the Bill (No. 1) respecting the Treasury Department, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 17) respecting Public Works, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 13) respecting an Act to amend Chapter 24 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Local Improvement Districts," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 16) respecting Suits against the Crown by petition of right, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Tuesday next.

Mr. Rutherford gave notice that he would move to-morrow that this House at its rising do adjourn to Monday at 4 p.m.

The House adjourned at 5.30 o'clock p.m. to Thursday at 3 o'clock p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 5, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. Stuart—Of T. L. Beiseker and four others praying for the incorporation of Alberta Pacific Elevator Company.

By Mr. Cross—Of John A. McDougall and two others, praying for the amendment of Chapter 43 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to report with respect to the petition of The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company, praying for an Act recognizing them as a Corporation in the Province of Alberta, that the Rules of the House with respect to notice by publication have not been fully complied with, and beg leave to recommend that the Rules 52 and 66 be suspended with respect thereto, and that leave be given to introduce the said Bill and that the said Bill be referred to a Special Select Committee of the House.

Ordered, that the said report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders beg leave to report with respect to the petition of The Occidental Fire Insurance Company, praying for an Act recognizing them as a Corporation in the Province of Alberta, that the Rules of the House with regard to publication of notice have not been fully complied with, and beg leave to recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended with respect thereto, and that leave be given to introduce the Bill and that the said Bill be referred to a Select Special Committee of the House.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in, on the motion of Mr. Hiebert, seconded by Mr. Robertson.

Ordered, That an Order of this House do issue for a Return giving in respect of each Polling Subdivision in each Provincial Constituency throughout the Province of Alberta, the name and address of each Returning Officer, the names and addresses of each Deputy Returning Officer, Polling Clerk, Constable and the names of the Scrutineers and Agents of each and all candidates ; also the number of spoiled, rejected and disputed ballots at the election held in the said Province of Alberta on the 9th day of November, 1905, or on days subsequent thereto.

On the motion of Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Robertson, it was

Ordered, By the Members standing that the following address be presented by the Speaker of the House to His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught, on the occasion of his visit to Alberta :

To His Royal Highness Prince Arthur Frederick Patrick Albert of Connaught, Knight of the Most Noble Order of the Garter, Knight Grand Cross of the Royal Victorian Order, Aide de Camp to His Majesty the King, etc.:

It is with feelings of deepest pleasure that we, the Legislative Assembly of Alberta, on behalf of our citizens, tender to your Royal Highness our hearty and most loyal welcome on this your first visit to our Province.

We hope that since the entrance of your Royal Highness into the Dominion through its western gate, you have seen to advantage some of the glories of one portion of our great heritage. In the heart of the great Rockies of British Columbia nature has worked on a grand scale, and the result of her handiwork has been, to use the expression of a great mountaineer, "to roll fifty or sixty Switzerlands into one."

In our new Province of Alberta we may be pardoned for taking particular pride on account of its vast and varied resources. We have here room for the homes of millions, and year after year sees almost countless acres of prairies subjected to the requirements of a pioneer civilization. It is typical of the growth of the whole Province, that this city, which to-day spreads her flags in honour of the visit of your Royal Highness, was, not many years ago, merely a trading post, but is now the fair capital of a fair Province. Possibly, we, as a people, may err too much in our pride, but if we do, there is a redeeming feature in the fact that it helps to engender those feelings of contentment and loyalty which are essential to the upbuilding of this, one of the greatest dependencies of the British Crown.

For some years past we have felt the need of full Provincial powers, and, now that we have reached the fruition point of our hopes, we pray that the work of our first Session may be blessed by Divine Guidance, so that there may be laid a firm legislative foundation for a great Province. We feel the responsibility of the work entrusted to us, and are indeed glad that our first assemblage has been thus honoured by the presence of your Royal Highness.

We congratulate your Royal Highness on the happy fulfilment of your mission to Japan, and trust that the more intimate relationship between that country and our own, which has been sought by the statesmen of both, will be realized, and will result in a nearer consummation of the world's peace.

We wish to assure your Royal Highness of the loyalty and devotion of our people to the person of His Gracious Majesty King Edward VII. We all recognize in His Majesty those kingly virtues and that delicate diplomacy which have placed him first among the Sovereigns of the world.

It is our sincere hope that your Royal Highness may have a safe and interesting journey, and we trust that future recollections of your visit to the Great Western Land of Canada will be most pleasant.

Signed on behalf of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta, this Sixth day of April, A.D. 1906.

C. W. FISHER, *Speaker*.

Mr. Robertson gave notice that on Monday next he would ask the following questions of the Government :

1. What amount of money was to the credit of the Province on April 2, 1906, out of the money received from Ottawa?
2. Has the Government borrowed any money?
3. If so, how much, from whom, what rate of interest paid and by what authority?

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Automobiles.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Thursday, April 12.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill, and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, Held over until after the appointment of Special Committee.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The Occidental Fire Insurance Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill, and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be held over until after the appointment of a Special Committee.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 10) respecting Clerks and Deputy Clerks, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 13) to amend Chapter 24 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (Second Session), intituled "An Ordinance respecting Local Improvement Districts," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The same amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 15) respecting the Transfer and Descent of Land, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time on Tuesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 7) respecting Police Magistrates and Justices of the Peace, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the said Bill be read a third time on Tuesday next.

The House adjourned at 5 o'clock p.m. to 4 p.m. on Monday next.

MONDAY, APRIL 9, 1906.

4.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rutherford read the reply of His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught, K.G., to the Address presented to him by Mr. Speaker from the Legislative Assembly as follows :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

It is with very great pleasure that I receive this Address from the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta. I was very glad when I heard that the course of my journey through western Canada was to include a visit to the capital of the most recently formed Province whose area is equal to that of any European state. I have been deeply impressed by the grandeur of the scenery through which I have travelled in the past few days and I am glad to think that nature who has furnished such a wealth of beauty to please the eye has been equally kind in providing the more material resources which are so necessary to the advancement and prosperity of any colony. I cordially re-echo your hope that your legislative labours may meet with contentment and success. I shall not fail to convey expression of your loyal good wishes to His Majesty the King, who is always glad to hear of the prosperity and welfare of his people whether abroad or at home, and whose interest is extended to every subject over whom it is his happiness to reign. I thank you for your kind reference to myself, which I greatly appreciate.

Ordered, That the said reply be entered in the Journals of the House.

Ordered, That Messrs. Stuart, McKenzie, Cushing, Cross, Rutherford, Robertson, McCauley, McPherson, Moore and Bredin be a Special Committee on Insurance.

Mr. Robertson asked the following questions of which he had given notice to the Government :

1. What amount of money was to the credit of the Province on April 2nd, 1906, out of the money received from Ottawa?

2. Has the Government borrowed any money?

3. If so, how much, from whom, what rate of interest paid and by what authority?

Mr Rutherford, in reply to question (1), \$949,353.20.

Reply to question number (2), No. Number (3) was covered by answer to number (2).

The Bill (No. 46) to confirm a certain By-law of the Town of St. Albert, was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenzie have leave to introduce a Bill respecting certain kinds of contemplated Municipal Works for the Town of Macleod.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to Committee on Municipal Law.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenzie have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Alberta Southern Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and it was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 14) to amend Chapter 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, intituled 'An Ordinance respecting Villages,'"

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 14) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories intituled "An Ordinance respecting Villages."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 15) respecting the Transfer and Descent of Land,

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 15) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Transfer and Descent of Land."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (31) respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta,

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to a Committee of the Whole House.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate The Western Oil and Coal Company.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to the Committee on Railway Bills.

The House resolved itself into a Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta,

and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at next sitting of the House.

Mr. Rutherford laid on the Table a Return respecting the election in the Province on November 9, 1905.

The House then adjourned at 5.55 o'clock p.m. to 8 o'clock p. m. same day.

EVENING SESSION.

8 O'CLOCK P.M.

The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again at next sitting of the House.

The House adjourned at 10.10 o'clock p.m. to Tuesday at 3 o'clock p.m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 10, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rutherford gave notice that on Thursday he would move that the House on its rising stand adjourned to following Wednesday at 4 p.m.

Ordered, That Mr. Moore have leave to introduce a Bill relative to the Town of Red Deer.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, That said Bill be read a second time on Wednesday, April 18th.

Ordered, That Mr. Marcellus have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the Pincher Creek Club.

He accordingly presented the said Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Wednesday, April 18th.

Ordered, That Mr. Marcellus have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate the Alberta Oil, Coal and Wheat Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Wednesday, April 18th.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 1) respecting the Treasury Department and the Auditing of Public Accounts.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 1) be now read a third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Treasury Department and the Auditing of Public Accounts."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 7) respecting Police Magistrates and Justices of the Peace.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 7) be now read a third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Police Magistrates and Justices of the Peace."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 10) respecting Clerks and Deputy Clerks.

Ordered that Bill (No. 10) be now read a third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Clerks and Deputy Clerks."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 13) respecting Local Improvement Districts.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 24 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903, intituled 'An Ordinance respecting Local Improvement Districts.'"

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 16) respecting Suits against the Crown by Petition of Right.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 16) be now read a third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting suits against the Crown by Petition of Right."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 17) respecting Public Works.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 17) now be read a third time.

The Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Public Works."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 28),

The Bill was read a second time.

Ordered, For Committee of the Whole to-morrow,

The House then resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Deputy Speaker took the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

Mr. Moore asked the indulgence of the House to be allowed to present two reports.

Leave granted.

Mr. Moore, from the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills, reported as follows :

Your Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills beg to report herewith the Bill (No. 22) to incorporate the Edelweiss Club, with the following amendments :

Substitute Section 2.—The Constitution, Rules, and Regulations touching the administration of the said Corporation shall be formulated at a general meeting thereof called for that purpose and of which at least ten days' notice shall be given by public advertisement or otherwise to all the members thereof, and the Constitution, Rules and Regulations then adopted shall subject to the approval of the Attorney General have full force and effect in so far as the same shall not be inconsistent with the laws in force in the Province of Alberta and the provisions of this Act :

Provided always that the said Corporation may from time to time alter, repeal and change such Constitution, Rules and Regulations in the manner therein provided, any amendments so made to be subject to the approval of the Attorney General aforesaid.

Section 7.—Change "Committee" to "Governing body."

Add to Section 8.—8 (a). The Club hereby constituted shall be subject to all provisions for the inspection, control and regulation of Clubs in the said Province which may hereafter be passed by the Legislature.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Moore, from the Committee on Municipal Law, reported as follows :

Your Committee on Municipal Laws begs to report herewith :

The Bill (No. 46) to confirm a certain By-law of the Town of St. Albert without amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

The House adjourned at 10 o'clock p.m. to Wednesday at 3 o'clock p.m.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 11, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

That in respect of the petition of Thomas Lincoln Beiseker and

others for the incorporation of the Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Limited, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

That in respect to the petition of R. L. Gaetz and others for the incorporation of The Red Deer Radial Tramway Company, the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

The Committee further recommend that after the second reading the Bill be referred to Committee on Railways.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

That in respect to the petition of the Edmonton Public Hospital for the amendment of Chapter 43 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "The Edmonton Public Hospital," the Rules of the House in respect to notice have not been fully complied with, the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended in respect thereto and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill and that the fee be returned.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Insurance, presented the following report :

The Committee on Insurance beg to report that they have fully considered the Bill (No. 25) intituled "An Act respecting the Alberta Canadian Insurance Company" and that they report the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Rutherford, for Mr. Cushing, gave notice that to-morrow he will ask for leave to introduce a Bill relating to the Regulation of Coal Mines in the Province of Alberta.

Mr. Stuart gave notice that on Wednesday next he will ask for leave to introduce a Bill amending the provisions of Section 26 of the North-West Territories Act dealing with Wills.

Mr. Boyle gave notice that with the leave of the House he will to-morrow ask for leave to introduce a Bill respecting Veterinary Surgeons.

Mr. Stuart gave notice that on Wednesday, April 18th, he will ask the Attorney General the following questions :

1. Is it the intention of the Government to introduce a Bill at this Session establishing a Superior Court for the Province instead of the present Supreme Court of the North-West Territories?

2. Is it the intention of the Government to introduce any legislation at this Session providing better means of collecting small debts?

3. Is it the intention of the Government to introduce any legislation at this Session to regulate assignments for the benefit of Creditors?

4. (a) What instructions were given by the Government, if any, to the returning officer appointed for the Electoral District of Peace River for the election of Nov. 9th, 1905.

(b) What was the name of the returning officer?

(c) Did he make any return in connection with the said election?

(d) What was the nature of the return?

(e) What action did the Government take in respect to such returns?

Mr. Simpson gave notice that to-morrow he would ask for leave to introduce a Bill respecting Commission on the Sale of Real Property.

Ordered, That Mr. Moore have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Red Deer Radial Tramway Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Limited.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Marcellus have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Crows Nest and Prairie Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a second time on Thursday, April 19th.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 20) to incorporate The English Club,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to Committee on Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 25) to incorporate Alberta Canadian Insurance Company,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 27) to amend Chapter 39 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (First Session), intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The Western Canada College,"

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 23) to incorporate The Vermilion and Cold Lake Railway Company,

The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 31) be read a third time on Friday, 20th April.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 22) to incorporate The Edelweiss Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 22) be read a third time on Wednesday, April 18th.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 46) to confirm certain By-laws of the Town of St. Albert, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be received and that the Committee have leave to sit again.

The House adjourned to 8 o'clock p.m.

EVENING SESSION.

8 O'CLOCK P.M.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 25) to incorporate The Alberta Canadian Insurance Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Stuart acting chairman reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 28) respecting Printing, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 46) to confirm certain By-laws of the Town of St. Albert,

and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House then adjourned to Thursday at 10.30 o'clock p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 12, 1906.

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

Mr. Moore, from the Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills, presented the following report :

Your Committee on Miscellaneous and Private Bills beg to report the Bill (No. 27) to amend Chapter 39 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (First Session), intituled " An Ordinance to incorporate The Western Canada College," without amendment.

The Bill (No. 32), an act to incorporate The Strathcona Club.

Your Committee recommend that the same amendments be made in this Bill as were adopted by the House in respect of The Edelweiss Club, and the same be reported to the House with such amendments.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford, for Mr. Cushing, have leave to introduce a Bill to make Regulations with respect to Coal Mines.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Thursday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Simpson have leave to introduce a Bill to Prevent Frauds and Perjuries in relation to Sales of Real Property.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the Bill was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Veterinary Surgeons.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Thursday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 40) respecting The Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee of Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 47) respecting Alberta Southern Railway,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 32) to incorporate The Strathcona Club,

The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 34) respecting Stock and Hides,
The said Bill was read a second time.
Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 20) to incorporate the English Club,
The said Bill was read a second time, and
Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 27) to amend Chapter 39 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (First Session), intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The Western Canada College" and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 20) to repeal Ordinance No. 28 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The English Club," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 34) respecting Stock and Hides, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again on Thursday next.

The House adjourned to Wednesday next, April 18th, at 4 o'clock p.m

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 18, 1906.

4.15 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 27) to amend Chapter 39 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (First Session), intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The Western Canada College."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 27) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 39 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (First Session), intituled 'An Ordinance to incorporate The Western Canada College.'"

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 25) respecting The Alberta Canadian Insurance Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 25) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting The Alberta Canadian Insurance Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 28) respecting Public Printing.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 28) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Public Printing."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 46) to confirm a certain by-law of the Town of St. Albert.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to confirm a certain by-law of the Town of St. Albert."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 22) to incorporate The Edelweiss Club.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Edelweiss Club."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 32) to incorporate the Strathcona Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Friday.

The House adjourned on Thursday at 3 o'clock p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 19, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. Rosenroll—Of Alexander McPherson and many others, praying for the establishment of a Herd law in Wetaskiwin District.

By Mr. Stuart—Of the Investors' Guarantee Corporation of Canada, praying for Legislation to correct errors and omissions in Chapter 35 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, caused by the Government Printer.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

That in respect of the petition of George Lane and others praying for the incorporation of The High River Club the Rules of the House

in respect to notice have not been fully complied with the Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended and that leave be given to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Municipal Law, presented the following report :

The Committee on Municipal Law beg to report that they have fully considered the Bill (No. 42) intituled " A Bill to amend the Edmonton Charter," and that they report the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce a Bill respecting The High River Club.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday, April 24th.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill to limit the Right of disposing of Property by Will.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday, April 24th.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 29) respecting The Dental Association of Alberta,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 30) for the Benefit of Mechanics and Labourers',

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 38) to incorporate The Empire Club,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 39) respecting Steam Boilers,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 44) to regulate the Speed and Operation of Vehicles on Highways,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 50) to incorporate the Pincher Creek Club of the Village of Pincher Creek,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 54) to prevent Frauds and Perjuries in relation to Sales of Real Property,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 56) to make Regulations with respect to Coal Mines,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 30) for the benefit of Mechanics and Labourers, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and the Committee have leave to sit again on Saturday.

It being six o'clock Mr. Speaker left the Chair.

EVENING SESSION.

8 O'CLOCK P.M.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No 56) to make regulations with respect to Coal Mines, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House adjourned to Friday at 3 o'clock p.m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 20, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Woolf presented the petition of the Town of Cardston, praying for the extension of town boundaries and to increase the borrowing powers of said town.

Mr. Woolf presented the petition of W. H. Brown and three others against granting extension of boundaries of the Town of Cardston.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report:

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows :

The Committee have had under consideration the petition of Joseph Bailey Powell, President of The Investors' Guarantee Corporation of Canada, praying for an Act of Legislative Assembly to amend the Act of Incorporation of the said Corporation.

The Committee find that the notice required by the Rules governing applications for Private Bills had not been given so far as publication in the Official Gazette and any local paper is concerned, but in view of special circumstances would recommend the suspension of Rule 52.

The fee, one hundred dollars, has not been paid to the Clerk of the Assembly; however, under the special circumstances more fully explained in the petition, the Committee recommend the suspension of Rule 66 as regards the payment of the fee and that leave be granted for the introduction of the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Resolved, That the former Special Committee of Members of this House on Rules be appointed to assist Mr. Speaker in revising the Rules of this House with regard to the stage at which Private Bills should go before a Standing Committee.

Pursuant to notice given Mr. Stuart asked certain questions of the Attorney General who answered them.

Ordered, That Mr. Boyle have leave to introduce a Bill to repeal the Mutual Insurance Ordinance.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chapter 35 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 20) to repeal Ordinance No. 28 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The English Club."

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to repeal Ordinance No. 28 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, intituled 'An Ordinance to incorporate The English Club.' "

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 32) to incorporate The Strathcona Club.

Ordered, That the Bill be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Strathcona Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 33) to amend The Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance,"

The said Bill was read the second time, and
Ordered, To be referred to Committee on Railways.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 42) to amend the Edmonton Charter, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole House on the Bill (No. 56) to make regulations with respect to Coal Mines, and after some time spent therein, it being six o'clock, the Speaker entered the House, resumed the Chair and at once vacated the same.

EVENING SESSION.

8 O'CLOCK P.M.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 18) to establish and incorporate a University for the Province of Alberta,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 56) and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Tuesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 44) to regulate the Speed and Operation of Vehicles on Highways, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. McLeod reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 11.15 o'clock p.m. to 10.30 o'clock a.m. to-morrow.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21, 1906.

10.30 O'CLOCK A.M.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 49) to incorporate the Alberta Oil, Coal and Wheat Railway Company.

The said Bill was read the second time.
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 55) respecting Veterinary Surgeons,
The said Bill was read the second time.
Ordered, To be referred to Committee on Agriculture.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 36) respecting Chemists and Druggists,
The said Bill was read the second time.
Ordered, To be referred to Committee on Legal Bills.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 39) respecting Steam Boilers, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.
The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.
Ordered, That the Bill (No. 39) be read a third time on Tuesday.

Ordered, That the name of Mr. Simmons be added to the following Committees :

Municipal Law, Railways, Agriculture and Colonization, Miscellaneous Private Bills, Legal Bills.

The House adjourned at 12.45 o'clock p.m. to Monday at 3 o'clock p.m.

MONDAY, APRIL 23, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

The following petitions were presented :

By Mr. McKenzie—Of Colin George and eighteen others, praying for the incorporation of the South Alberta Club.

By Mr. Rutherford—Of Lloyd Austin and two others, praying that Lloyd Austin may be permitted to become a member of the proposed Dental Association of the Province of Alberta.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows :

The Committee have had under consideration the petition of W. H. Brown and others, praying not to extend the town limits of Cardston westward.

The Committee recommend that the petition be received.
Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows :

The Committee have had under consideration the petition of the Mayor and Council of the Town of Cardston praying for an Act of the Legislative Assembly to extend the limit and granting certain special powers to the said town.

The Committee recommend that the said petition be received.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Special Committee on Insurance, presented the following report :

The Committee on Insurance beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 35), intituled "An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company," and having fully considered the same they beg leave to report the Bill without amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Municipal Law, presented the following report :

The Committee on Municipal Law beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 21), intituled "An Act to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat," and having fully considered the same they beg leave to report the Bill without amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Municipal Law, presented the following report :

The Committee on Municipal Law beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 24), intituled "An Act to incorporate the City of Lethbridge," and having fully considered the same they beg leave to report the Bill without amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Municipal Law, presented the following report :

The Committee on Municipal Law beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 61), intituled "An Act to amend the Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary and to confirm certain By-laws of the said City," and having fully considered the same they beg leave to report the Bill without amendments.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenzie's name be added to Committee on Railways.

Ordered, That Mr. Woolf have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Ordinance No. 43, North-West Territories 1901, the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, For second reading on Wednesday.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 41), respecting The Edmonton and Athabasca Development Company,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 48) respecting certain kinds of contemplated Municipal Public Works for the town of Macleod,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

Ordered, That rules be suspended, and that the Bill (No. 61) relating to the City of Calgary be placed in the Orders of the Day for second reading.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 61) relating to the City of Calgary,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 44) to regulate the Speed and Operation of Vehicles on Highways, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. McLeod reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 61) relating to the City of Calgary, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Thursday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 18) to establish and incorporate a University for Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and leave be given to sit again on Thursday.

Ordered, That the House return to the Order of Business.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 38), intituled "An Act to incorporate the Empire Club," and having fully considered the same beg leave to report the said Bill suggesting similar amendments to those adopted in the cases of The Edelweiss Club, and The Strathcona Club.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in and that the Bill be committed to Committee of the Whole to-day.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg to report that they have under consideration The Bill (No. 50), intituled "An Act

to incorporate The Pincher Creek Club of the Village of Pincher Creek," and having fully considered the same they beg to report the Bill, suggesting amendments similar to those made in the cases of The Edelweiss Club and The Strathcona Club.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in and that the Bill be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 38) and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 38) be read a third time on Thursday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 50) to incorporate The Pincher Creek Club of the Village of Pincher Creek, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 50) be read a third time on Thursday next.

The House adjourned at 9.45 o'clock p.m. to Tuesday at 3 p.m.

TUESDAY, APRIL 24, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Puffer, from the Committee on Railways, presented the following report :

The Committee on Railways beg leave to report the Bills following :

No. 49, A Bill to incorporate the Alberta Oil, Coal and Wheat Railway Company.

No. 23, A Bill to incorporate The Vermilion and Coal Lake Railway Company.

No. 33, A Bill to amend The Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance.

No. 47, A Bill to incorporate The Alberta Southern Railway Company.

No. 40, A Bill to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company.

Subject, however, to the following conditions :

1. The place from which and the place to which the main line of the proposed railway is to be built should be specified in the Act of Incorporation.

2. The power to build branch lines should be limited to lines of a certain length, which we leave to the Committee to decide.

3. Within twelve months after the passing of the Act of Incorporation maps and plans should be filed, to be approved by the

Lieutenant Governor in Council, showing the exact location of the main line and of proposed branches subject to the right of variation therefrom of not more than three miles, or in the discretion of the Lieutenant Governor in Council and that the right to build should be limited strictly to what is shown on such maps.

4. The Charter granted should lapse at the end of two years unless 15 per cent. of the capital stock of the Company shall have been expended in actual construction by the end of that period.

5. With respect to the question of a deposit your Committee would point out that if the Rules of the Territorial Assembly had continued in force the Railway Companies applying for a private Act of Incorporation would have had to put in in addition to the one hundred dollar fee an additional fee under The Companies Ordinance which in the case of a Company capitalized at say five million would amount to about twelve hundred dollars.

Your Committee think that such requirements should be continued.

Your Committee would also recommend that the powers of Railway Companies should be confined strictly to the construction and operation of railways, but of course they should be permitted to own and operate telegraph and telephone lines for their own use only.

Your Committee would also suggest that the location of town sites should be subject to the approval of the Lieutenant Governor in Council, and that when these town sites are expropriated, one-third of the land therein should pass to the Province to be held in trust for the municipality.

Your Committee further recommend that all Companies incorporated at this Session should be made subject to any Railway Act which may be hereafter passed.

Your Committee also recommend that in all the Acts of Incorporation a clause should be inserted giving the Province the right at any time to expropriate the property of the Company at valuation.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Municipal Law, presented the following report :

Your Committee on Municipal Law beg to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 19), intituled " A Bill to incorporate Wetaskiwin," and report the bill without amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Finlay, from the Committee on Agriculture, presented the following report :

The Committee on Agriculture have considered the Bill (No. 55) respecting Veterinary Surgeons and beg to report the same subject to an amendment providing for the bringing of any Veterinary School that may be established under the control of the Provincial University and with some other minor amendments that the Member in charge of the Bill proposes to move in Committee of the Whole House.

Resolved, That the Standing Orders be suspended and that the following Bills be placed on the Orders of the Day :

For Committee of the Whole for to-day: No. 33, A Bill to incorporate The Strathcona Radial Tramway Company.

No. 23, A Bill to incorporate The Vermilion and Cold Lake Railway Company.

No. 49, A Bill to incorporate The Alberta Oil, Coal and Wheat Railway Company.

No. 47, A Bill to incorporate The Alberta Southern Railway Company.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 39) respecting Steam Boilers,

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 39) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Steam Boilers."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 56) to make regulations with respect to Coal Mines.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 56) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to make Regulations with respect to Coal Mines."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 57) to limit the right of disposing of Property by Will,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 33) to incorporate The Strathcona Radial Tramway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Thursday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 23) to incorporate the Vermilion and Cold Lake Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Woolf reported progress and asked leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Thursday.

At 5.30 o'clock p.m. the House adjourned to Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlay have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chap. 29 of the Ordinances of the North - West Territories 1903 (Second Session), intituled "An Act for the Protection of Game."

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 45) respecting The Occidental Fire Insurance Company,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Insurance.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 48) respecting certain kinds of contemplated Municipal Public Works for the Town of Macleod,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Municipal Law.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 52) to incorporate The Red Deer Radial Tramway Company,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole tomorrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 53) to incorporate the The Crow's Nest and Prairie Railway Company,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

Mr. Cushing moved, and Mr. Stuart seconded, the following motion :

That in the opinion of this House the seat of Government of this Province should be fixed permanently at the City of Calgary.

And the Question being proposed,

And a debate arising thereon,

And the Question being again proposed,

The Speaker declared the "Nays" have it, and the "Ayes" and "Nays" being called for the following division took place :

Ayes—Messrs. Cushing, Stuart, Moore, McKenzie, Woolf, Heibert, Robertson, Simmons—8.

Nays—Messrs. Rutherford, Cross, Boyle, Finlay, Walker, McCauley, Rosenroll, Marcellus, McPherson, McKenney, Telford, Puffer, Simpson, Bredin, Brick, McLeod—16.

The motion was declared lost.

Mr. Moore moved, and Mr. Stuart seconded, the following resolution :

That in the opinion of the House the Capital for the Province of Alberta be permanently located at the Town of Red Deer.

And a debate arising thereon,

Mr. Moore by leave of the House withdrew his motion.

Mr. Heibert moved, and Mr. Rosenroll seconded, the following motion :

That in the opinion of this House the seat of Government of this Province should be permanently located at Banff.

Mr. Heibert by leave of the House withdrew his motion.

The House adjourned at 10.15 o'clock p.m. to Thursday at 3 o'clock p.m.

THURSDAY, APRIL 26, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Simmons, from the Committee on Legal Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Legal Bills beg to report the Bill to prevent Frauds and Perjuries in relation to Sales of Real Property.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlay have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chap. 80 of the Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled " An Ordinance respecting Estray Animals."

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 38) to incorporate The Empire Club.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 38) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled " An Act to incorporate The Empire Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 50) to incorporate The Pincher Creek Club of the Village of Pincher Creek.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 50) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled " An Act to incorporate The Pincher Creek Club of the Village of Pincher Creek."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 63) to incorporate the Alberta Pacific Elevator Company,

The said Bill was read a second time, and

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 61) to amend the Ordinance relating to City of Calgary and confirm certain By-laws of the said City, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 35) respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 33) to amend the Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 47), and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Stuart reported that the Committee recommended that Bill (No 47) be recommitted to the Committee on Railways.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 47) be recommitted to the Committee on Railways.

The Order of the Day being read for the Bill (No. 55) respecting Veterinary Surgeons,

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 55), intituled "An Act respecting Veterinary Surgeons," be referred to the Standing Committee on Legal Bills before going to Committee of the Whole House.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 31) respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 31) be read a third time to-morrow, Friday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 30), and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Report of Standing Committees."

Mr. Stuart, from the Standing Committee on Municipal Law, presented the following report :

The Committee on Municipal Law beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 48) respecting the Town of Macleod, and they report the Bill without amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 48) be placed on the Orders of the Day for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 48) respecting the Town of Macleod, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Stuart reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday.

The House adjourned at 10.20 o'clock p.m. to Friday at 3 o'clock p.m.

FRIDAY, APRIL 27, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Telford asked the Premier, Mr. Rutherford, the following question, of which he had given notice :

Is it the intention of the Government to introduce any legislation at this session regarding the Liquor Traffic ?

Mr. Rutherford in reply :

The Government propose to introduce a Bill making a slight change in The Liquor License Ordinance of the North-West Territories.

The Order of the Day being read for third reading of the Bill (No. 31) respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta,

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 31) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 26) to incorporate Parishes and Missions of the Catholic Church in the Province of Alberta,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 54) to Prevent Frauds and Perjuries in relation to Sales of Real Property in the Province, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 54) be read a third time to-morrow.

EVENING SESSION.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Reports of Standing Select Committees."

Mr. Moore, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 63) intituled "An Act to incorporate the Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Limited," and they report the Bill subject to the consideration and action of the Committee of the Whole.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Insurance, presented the following report :

The Committee on Insurance beg leave to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 45) intituled "An Act respecting The Occidental Fire Insurance Company," and they report the Bill without amendment.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Motions."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 45) respecting The Occidental Fire Insurance Company be placed on the Orders of the Day for to-day for Committee of the Whole House.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 63) to incorporate The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Limited, be placed on the Orders of the Day for to-day for Committee of the Whole House.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 44) respecting the Speed and Operation of Vehicles on Highways, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simmons reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 44) be read a third time on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 45) respecting The Occidental Fire Insurance Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simmons reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 45) be read a third time on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 63) to incorporate The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Limited, and after some time spent therein, Mr.

Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and the Committee have leave to sit again Saturday.

The House adjourned at 10.45 o'clock p.m. to 3 o'clock p.m. o-morrow.

SATURDAY, APRIL 28, 1906.

3 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Simmons, from the Committee on Legal Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Legal Bills having considered the Bill (No. 36) intituled " A Bill respecting Chemists and Druggists," report the same subject to certain amendments providing for regulation by Lieutenant Governor in Council and the Minister of Education which the Member in charge of the Bill will move in Committee of the Whole House.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Simmons, from the Committee on Legal Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Legal Bills having considered the Bill (No. 29) intituled " A Bill respecting The Dental Association of Alberta," report the Bill subject to certain amendments providing for regulation by the Lieutenant Governor in Council and the Minister of Education which the Member in charge will move in Committee of the Whole House.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. McCauley, for Mr. Rosenroll, from the Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows :

The Committee have had under consideration the petition of Colin Grence and others, praying for the incorporation of The Alberta Club.

The Committee finds that the Rules of the House as regards advertising have not been fully complied with.

The Committee recommend that Rules 52 and 66 be suspended and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Mr. Simmons, from the Committee on Legal Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Legal Bills have considered the petition for the relief of Daniel W. Henderson and recommend that the same be referred to the Committee on Standing Orders.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

The Committee on Legal Bills having considered the Bill (No. 55), intituled " A Bill respecting Veterinary Surgeons," report the Bill with the recommendation of the Committee on Agriculture.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Resolved, That the former Special Committee of Members of the House on Rules be appointed to assist Mr. Speaker in revising the Rules of this House with regard to fees payable under Bills incorporating Companies.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenzie have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The South Alberta Club.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford, for Mr. Cross, have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The St. Andrew's Society.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Tuesday.

Resolved, That the Rules be suspended and that Mr. Finlay have leave to introduce a Bill to-day.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlay have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Alberta Central Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read the first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlay have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Public Health.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Monday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 54) to prevent Frauds and Perjuries in relation to Sales of Real Property in the Province.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 54) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to prevent Frauds and Perjuries in Relation to Sales of Real Property."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 55) respecting Veterinary Surgeons, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Bredin reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that Committee have leave to sit again on Monday.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat be placed on the Orders of the Day for second reading.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday next.

The House adjourned at 9.45 o'clock p.m. to Monday at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

MONDAY, APRIL 30, 1906.

2.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Bredin, for Mr. Moore, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented the following report :

Your Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg to report as follows :

Having considered the Bill (No. 26), intituled "An Act to provide for the incorporation of Parishes and Missions of the Catholic Church in the Province of Alberta," your Committee recommends that the same be referred to the Committee on Legal Bills.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Walker, seconded by Mr. Boyle,

Resolved, That in the opinion of this House, steps should be taken to ascertain whether or not certain lands in the Province supposed to have been sold by the Canadian Pacific Railway Company to the Western Canada Land Company are now taxable for School and Local Improvement purposes and if they are so taxable that the Districts be notified accordingly.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlay have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chap. 22 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Brands."

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Finlay have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chap. 87 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance for the prevention of Prairie and Forest Fires."

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read the first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chap. 89 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors and the issue of Licenses therefor."

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill to supplement the Revenue of the Crown in the Province of Alberta.

He accordingly presented the Bill and it was received and read a first time, and

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill respecting the encouragement of the Beet Sugar Industry.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 33) to amend The Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 33) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend The Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 44) to regulate the Speed and Operation of Motor Vehicles on Highways.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 44) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to regulate the Speed and Operation of Motor Vehicles on Highways."

Ordered that the Bill (No. 58) respecting The High River Club be placed on the Order of the Day for second reading to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 58) respecting The High River Club,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 48) respecting certain kinds of contemplated Municipal Public Works for the Town of Macleod be placed on the Orders of the Day for Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 48) respecting certain kinds of contemplated Municipal Public Works for the Town of Macleod, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 48) be read a third time on Wednesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 29) respecting The Dental Association of

Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow, Tuesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow, Tuesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 58) respecting The High River Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Wednesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 61) respecting the City of Calgary, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read the third time to-morrow, Tuesday.

Resolved, That the House resolve itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow, Tuesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 30) for the benefit of Mechanics and Labourers, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow, Tuesday.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Bills."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 69) respecting the Alberta Central Railway Company be placed on the Order for second reading.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 69) respecting the Alberta Central Railway Company,
The said Bill was read the second time.
Ordered, To be referred to the Committee on Railways.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 35) be recommitted to Committee of the Whole House and stand on the Orders for to-morrow, Tuesday.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 45) be recommitted to Committee of the Whole House and stand on the Orders for to-morrow, Tuesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 36) respecting Chemists and Druggists, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. McLeod reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again Wednesday.

Ordered, That the House return to Order of Business, " Report of Select Standing Committee."

Mr. Simpson from the Committee on Standing Orders presented the following report :

The Committee on Standing Orders have had under consideration the petition of Daniel W. Henderson and Lloyd Austin praying for relief and report that the Rules of the House with respect to publications have not been fully complied with, and recommend that the Rule 52 be suspended with regard thereto and that leave be given to introduce a Bill.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Mr. Stuart have leave to introduce a Bill for the relief of Daniel W. Henderson and Lloyd Austin.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Wednesday next.

The House adjourned at 10.50 o'clock p.m. to Tuesday at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

TUESDAY, MAY 1, 1906.

2.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Marcellus presented the petition of John Hurdy and five others, praying for the incorporation of The Kootenay, Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Railways, presented the following report :

The Committee on Railways beg to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 43), intituled " An Act to incorporate the Western Oil and Coal Consolidated," and they recommend

that the said Bill be referred to the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 30) for the benefit of Mechanics and Labourers.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 30) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act for the benefit of Mechanics and Labourers."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 61) to amend the Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary and to confirm certain By-laws of the said City and to consolidate the floating debt.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 61) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend the Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary and to confirm certain By-laws of the said City and to consolidate the floating debt."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 19) to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin.

Ordered, that the Bill (No. 19) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 29) respecting the Dental Association of Alberta.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 29) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting The Dental Association of Alberta."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 35) respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company (recommitted), and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 35) be read a third time to-morrow, Wednesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 45) respecting The Occidental Fire Insurance Company (recommitted), and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, that the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 45) be read a third time to-morrow, Wednesday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 57) to limit the right of Disposing of Property by Will, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Simpson reported the Bill withdrawn by consent of the Committee.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat, and after some time spent therein Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 21) be read a third time on Thursday next.

Resolved, That the House return to Order of Business, "Bills."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 24) to incorporate the City of Lethbridge,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 24) to incorporate the City of Lethbridge, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 24) be read a third time on Wednesday.

Resolved, That the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat be recommitted to Committee of the Whole.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 21) be read a third time on Thursday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 55) respecting Veterinary Surgeons, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Bredin reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 55) be read a third time to-morrow.

Resolved, That the House return to Order of Business, "Bills."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 65) respecting an Ordinance respecting Estray Animals,

The said Bill was read a second time.

Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 64) respecting an Ordinance for the protection of Game,
The said Bill was read a second time.
Ordered, To be committed to Committee of Whole to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 68) intituled, "An Ordinance respecting Public Health,"
The said Bill was read a second time.
Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The House adjourned to 10.30 o'clock p.m. to Wednesday at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 2, 1906.

2.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Rutherford, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, signed by His Honour, and the Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members standing and being uncovered), and is as follows :

The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the Service of the Province for the four months ended December thirty-first, 1905, and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

G. H. V. BULYEA,
Lieutenant Governor.

Government House, Edmonton, May 2nd, 1906.

Mr. Rutherford, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a Message from His Honour the Lieutenant Governor, signed by His Honour, and the Message was read by Mr. Speaker (all the Members standing and being uncovered), and is as follows :

The Lieutenant Governor transmits estimates of certain sums required for the Service of the Province for the year 1906, and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

G. H. V. BULYEA,
Lieutenant Governor.

Government House, Edmonton, May 2nd, 1906.

Mr. Rutherford gave notice that on Monday next he would move the following motion :

That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the supply to be granted to His Majesty.

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report that they have under consideration the petition for the incorporation of The Kootenay, Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company and recommend that the petition be received.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Ordered, That Mr. McKenzie, for Mr. Marcellus, have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Kootenay, Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read the first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday next.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 35) respecting the Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 35) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 45) respecting The Occidental Fire Insurance Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 45) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting The Occidental Fire Insurance Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 48) respecting certain kinds of contemplated Municipal Public Works for the Town of Macleod.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 48) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting certain kinds of contemplated Municipal Public Works for the Town of Macleod."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 58) respecting The High River Club.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 58) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The High River Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 66) respecting the Edmonton Public Hospital,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 62) respecting the Town of Cardston,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 71) respecting the sale of Intoxicating Liquors and the issue of Licenses therefor,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill to amend Chap. 2 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West

Territories 1898, intituled "An Act respecting The Legislative Assembly of the Territories."

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Saturday next.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Bills."

Ordered, That the Rules be suspended, and that Mr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill empowering Municipalities to establish and operate Telephone systems.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time on Friday.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Petitions."

Mr. Moore presented the petition of A. Scott and twelve others, praying for the incorporation of The Red Deer Club.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 64) to amend Chapter 29 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (Second Session), intituled "An Ordinance for the Protection of Game," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that leave be given to sit again on Friday.

Resolved, That the Bill (No. 24) to incorporate the City of Lethbridge and the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat be recommitted to the Committee of the Whole.

The House resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 24) to incorporate the City of Lethbridge, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Thursday, to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Thursday, to-morrow.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Reports of Standing Committees."

Mr. Rosenroll, from the Standing Committee on Standing Orders, presented the following report :

The Standing Committee on Standing Orders beg to report as follows :

The Committee have had under consideration the petition of Geo. F. Root and others, praying for the incorporation of The Red Deer Club.

The Committee recommend that the Rules of the House as regards advertising be suspended and that leave be granted to introduce the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Bills."

Ordered, That Mr. Moore have leave to introduce a Bill to incorporate The Red Deer Club.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time Thursday.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Second reading of Bills."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 59) respecting The Investor's Guarantee Corporation of Canada,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 68) respecting Public Health, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 68) be read the third time on Friday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 65) to amend Chapter 80 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Estray Animals," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the Bill be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 65) be read a third time on Friday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 42) to amend the Edmonton Charter, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Moore reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 62) to amend the Ordinance No. 43 of the North-West Territories 1901, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate the Town of Cardston," and after some time spent therein Mr.

Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 10 o'clock p.m. to-morrow at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

THURSDAY, MAY 3, 1906.

2.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

On the motion of Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Robertson, and carried by a standing vote,

Resolved, That the Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta heartily endorse the petition addressed to the King's Most Gracious Majesty praying that His Majesty and Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen honour Canada with their august presence upon the occasion of the inauguration of the Quebec Bridge and that this Assembly do sincerely trust that His Most Gracious Majesty see fit to accede to the prayer in such petition contained.

On the motion of Mr. McKenney, seconded by Mr. Bredin,

Resolved, That a Memorial be presented to His Excellency the Governor General in Council setting forth that the Halfbreeds of the Province of Alberta claim that the Dominion of Canada by the granting of Halfbreed Scrip recognized in the Halfbreeds certain rights arising from their being the descendants of the original settlers and pioneers of Rupert's Land and the North-West Territories that although compensation has been made for such recognized rights to a very large proportion of the Halfbreed population compensation still remains to be made to a large minority who for various reasons have failed to obtain the compensation to which they are justly entitled, some of such reasons being (a) the inability of the claimants to appear before the proper officials to make proof of their claims, (b) the limitations as to the time within which such claims could be presented, (c) the restrictions greater than in respect of earlier issues of Scrip imposed by the later Orders in Council or the interpretations placed thereon by the Scrip Commissioners of the Department of the Interior, and it is desirable that all just cause for complaint on account of the Halfbreed population of the Province of Alberta should be satisfied and praying to this end that an enquiry be had with the view of ascertaining what are the precise claims put forth by Halfbreeds of the now Province of Alberta and to what extent such claims are justly entitled to recognition and what provision should be made for satisfying such outstanding claims as may be found justly entitled to recognition.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 21) to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 21) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 24) to incorporate the City of Lethbridge.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 24) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate the City of Lethbridge."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 67) to incorporate The St. Andrew's Society of Edmonton,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 74) respecting the encouragement of the Sugar Beet Industry,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 75) to supplement the Revenues of the Crown in the Province of Alberta,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 70) to incorporate The South Alberta Club,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 72) to amend Chapter 22 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Brands,"

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 71) to amend Chapter 89 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors and the issue of Licenses therefor," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 71) be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 67) to incorporate The St. Andrew's Society of Edmonton, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 67) be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 66) to amend Chapter 43 of the Ord-

nances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "The Edmonton Public Hospital," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 62) to amend Ordinance No. 43 of the North-West Territories 1901, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate the Town of Cardston," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 62) be read a third time on Saturday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 59) to amend Chapter 35 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 59) be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 42) to amend the Edmonton Charter, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 42) be read a third time on Tuesday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 74) respecting the encouragement of the Sugar Beet Industry, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Stuart reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee be given leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 75) to supplement the Revenues of the Crown in the Province of Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Stuart reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 75) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself in Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 70) to incorporate The South Alberta

Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and the Committee have leave to sit again to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 9 o'clock p.m. to 2.30 o'clock p.m. to-morrow.

FRIDAY, MAY 4, 1906.

2.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Resolved, That the Bill (No. 59) to amend Chapter 35 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The Investors' Guarantee Corporation of Canada" be recommitted to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 65) to amend Chapter 80 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Estray Animals."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 65) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 80 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled 'An Ordinance respecting Estray Animals.'"

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 68) respecting Public Health.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 68) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 4 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1902, intituled 'An Ordinance respecting Public Health.'"

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 37) respecting the Medical Profession,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 73) to amend Chapter 87 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance for the prevention of Prairie and Forest Fires,"

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 73) to amend Chapter 87 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance for the prevention of Prairie and Forest Fires," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 63) to incorporate The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again and recommended that the Bill (No. 63) be recommitted to the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

Ordered, That the report be now received, and

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 63) be recommitted to the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 66) to amend Chapter 43 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "The Edmonton Public Hospital," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 66) be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 59) to amend Chapter 35 of the Ordinance of the North-West Territories 1904, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The Investors' Guarantee Corporation of Canada," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 59) to amend Chapter 35 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The Investors' Guarantee Corporation of Canada."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 59) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 35 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, intituled 'An Ordinance to incorporate The Investors' Guarantee Corporation of Canada.'"

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 67) to incorporate The St. Andrew's Society of Edmonton.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 67) be read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The St. Andrew's Society of Edmonton."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 71) to amend Chapter 89 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors [and the issue of Licenses therefor.]"

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 71) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 89 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West

Territories 1898, intituled 'An Ordinance respecting the Sale of Intoxicating Liquors and the issue of Licenses therefor.' "

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 70) to incorporate The South Alberta Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 70) be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 70) to incorporate the South Alberta Club.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 70) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time,

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The South Alberta Club."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) respecting the Medical Profession, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that leave be given to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 72) to amend Chapter 22 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Brands," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that leave be given to sit again to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 74) respecting the encouragement of the Sugar Beet Industry, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 74) be read a third time on Monday next.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Second reading of Bills."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 76) for the relief of Daniel W. Henderson and Lloyd Austin.

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 76) for the relief of Daniel W. Henderson and Lloyd Austin, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.
The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.
Ordered, To be read a third time to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 10 o'clock p.m. to 2.30 o'clock p.m. to-morrow.

SATURDAY, MAY 5, 1906.

2.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Puffer, from the Committee on Railways, presented the following report :

The Committee on Railways to whom was referred the different applications for Railway Charters which have been before the House beg to report that they have gone carefully into this matter, and have prepared a Draft Bill which will apply to all applications before the House and would recommend this Bill to the consideration of the Legislature.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Simmons, from the Committee on Legal Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Legal Bills beg to report with respect to Bill No. 26 that though it appears that the Bill with amendments made to it is satisfactory yet the Committee believe it would be wise to allow it to stand till next Session in order to enable the Members of the Legislature to consult such of their constituents as may be interested and that a sufficient number of copies be printed to supply the Members with copies and five hundred copies to the advocate of the promoter and that advertising for next year be dispensed with.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 62) to amend Ordinance No. 43 of the North-West Territories 1901, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate the Town of Cardston."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 62) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Ordinance No. 43 of the North-West Territories 1901, intituled 'An Ordinance to incorporate the Town of Cardston.'"

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 66) to amend Chapter 43 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "The Edmonton Public Hospital."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 66) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 43 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories, 1900, intituled 'The Edmonton Public Hospital,'"

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 55) respecting Veterinary Surgeons.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 55) be now recommitted to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 73) to amend Chapter 87 of the Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance for the Prevention of Prairie and Forest Fires."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 73) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 87 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled 'An Ordinance for the Prevention of Prairie and Forest Fires.' "

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 76) for the relief of Daniel W. Henderson and Lloyd Austin.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 76) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act for the relief of Daniel W. Henderson and Lloyd Austin."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 81) to incorporate The Red Deer Club,

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 78) empowering municipalities to establish and operate Telephone Systems.

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 80) to amend Chapter 2 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories, 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting the Legislative Assembly of the Territories,"

The said Bill was read the second time, and

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 36) respecting Chemists and Druggists, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Bredin reported that it had been resolved "That he do leave the Chair."

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 80) to amend Chapter 2 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting the Legislative Assembly of the Territories," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) respecting the Medical Profession, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 81) to incorporate The Red Deer Club, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Monday next.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate the Western Oil and Coal Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-day.

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Reports of Standing Select Committees."

Mr. Moore, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented the following report:

Your Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg to report herewith the Bill (No. 43) intituled "An Act to incorporate The Western Oil and Coal Consolidated Company," with certain amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate the Western Oil and Coal Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) respecting the Medical Profession, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 72) to amend Chapter 22 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Brands," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Puffer reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time on Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) respecting the Medical Profession, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Puffer reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 78) empowering Municipalities to establish and operate Telephone Systems, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported progress and asked for leave to sit again.

Ordered, That the report be now received and that the Committee have leave to sit again Monday.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 64) to amend Chapter 29 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (second session), intituled "An Ordinance for the Protection of Game," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 64) be read a third time on Monday next.

The House adjourned at 11 o'clock p.m. to Monday at 2.30 o'clock p.m.

MONDAY, MAY 7, 1906.

2.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. Puffer, from the Committee on Railways, presented the following report :

The Committee on Railways report that they have considered the Bills to incorporate the Red Deer Radial Tramway Company and the Crow's Nest and Prairie Railway Company and with regard to such Bills the Committee recommend that the same be held over until the next Session of the Legislature and this Committee recommend with reference to such Bills that the Standing Orders of the House with reference to advertising and the payment of fees be dispensed with when such Bills come before the proper Committee at the next Session.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Puffer, from the Committee on Railways, presented the following report :

The Committee beg leave to report The Alberta, Athabasca and Kootenay Railway Company Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Puffer, from the Committee on Railways, presented the following report :

The Committee beg leave to report The Alberta North-Western Railway Company Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Moore, from the Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills, presented the following report :

The Committee on Miscellaneous Private Bills beg to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 63) to incorporate The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Limited, which was recommended to them, and they now beg to report the Bill with certain amendments indicated in the copy attached to this report.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. Stuart, from the Committee on Municipal Law, presented the following report :

The Committee on Municipal Law beg to report that they have had under consideration the Bill (No. 51), intituled "An Act to amend Ordinance Chapter 42 of 1901, intituled 'An Ordinance to incorporate The Town of Red Deer,' " and to report as follows :

First, they recommend that the agreements attached to this report be added to the Bill as Schedule "A."

Second, that the following words be added to Section 52 at the beginning hereof : "Subject to the provisions of Section 102 hereof."

Third, that Section 102 be struck out and the following Section substituted :

Clause 102. The agreements in Schedule "A" hereto contained are hereby ratified and confirmed and the same are declared to be and to have been valid and binding upon the parties thereto, their successors and assigns : and it is hereby declared that in clause numbered 3 in the agreement dated 23rd day of November, 1903, the words, "The said company shall have the exclusive franchise, rights and powers in the said agreement contained in so far as it is in the power of the corporation to grant the same," operates to confer upon the company therein mentioned the said exclusive franchise, rights and powers without restriction except in so far as any person or company had obtained any rights prior to the said 29th day of May, 1903.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 80) to amend Chapter 2 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting the Legislative Assembly of the Territories."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 80) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 2 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting the Legislative Assembly of the Territories."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 81) to incorporate The Red Deer Club.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 81) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Red Deer Club."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 72) to amend Chapter 22 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Brands."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 72) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 22 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled 'An Ordinance respecting Brands.'"

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 74) respecting the encouragement of the Sugar Beet Industry.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 74) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the encouragement of the Sugar Beet Industry."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 64) to amend Chapter 29 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (Second Session), intituled "An Ordinance for the protection of Game."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 64) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 29 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903, (Second Session), intituled "An Ordinance for the protection of Game."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 75) to supplement the Revenues of the Crown in the Province of Alberta.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 75) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to supplement the Revenues of the Crown in the Province of Alberta."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 51) relating to the Town of Red Deer,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, To be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The Bill (No. 52) respecting the Red Deer Radial Tramway was by leave of the House withdrawn.

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 79) to incorporate The Kootenay, Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company,

The said Bill was read the second time.

Ordered, to be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

Ordered, That Mr. Cross have leave to introduce a Bill respecting Architects.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, To be read a second time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 78) empowering Municipalities to establish and operate Telephone Systems, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 78) be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 18) to establish and incorporate a University for Alberta, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 55) respecting Veterinary Surgeons, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

Mr. Rutherford, a Member of the Executive Council, delivered to Mr. Speaker a Message from his Honour the Lieutenant Governor signed by His Honour George H. V. Bulyea, Lieutenant Governor :

The Lieutenant Governor transmits Estimates of certain sums required for the service of the Province for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1906, and for the expenses of legislation, maintenance of Public Institutions, Salaries of Officials of the Government and Public Service, and for the other expenses of the Government from the first day of January, 1907, until the final passage of the Estimates for the financial year of 1907 and recommends them to the Legislative Assembly.

Government House, Edmonton, May 2, 1906.

Moved by Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Cross,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair and that this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the supply to be granted to His Majesty,

And the Question being proposed,

And a Debate arising thereupon,

And the Debate continuing,

And the Question being again proposed,

Ordered, That the Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported that the Committee had come to the following resolutions :

Mr. Boyle, in accordance with the Order of the House, reported the following resolutions from Committee of Supply, which were read as follows :

No. 1.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1905, the following sum: To defray expenses of Civil Government, Twenty-five thousand seven hundred and twenty-three dollars and seventy-four cents (\$25,723.74).

No. 2.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1905, the following sum: To defray expenses of Legislation, One hundred and seventy dollars and twenty-five cents (\$170.25).

No. 3.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1905, the following sum: To defray expenses of Administration of Justice, Eighteen thousand eight hundred and one dollars and eleven cents (\$18,801.11).

No. 4.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1905, the following sum: To defray expenses of Public Works, Ninety-eight thousand five hundred and sixty-two dollars and eighteen cents (\$98,562.18).

No. 5.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1905, the following sum: To defray expenses of Education, Three thousand and eighty-one dollars and sixty-one cents (\$3,081.61).

No. 6.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1905, the following sum: To defray expenses of Agriculture and Statistics, Nine hundred and forty-four dollars and one cent (\$944.01).

No. 7.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1905, the following sum: To defray expenses of Hospitals, Charities and Public Health, Three hundred and eighty-seven dollars and sixty-one cents (\$387.61).

No. 8.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1905, the following sum: To defray miscellaneous expenditure, Fifteen thousand and fifty-two dollars and forty-two cents (\$15,052.42).

The said resolutions were then read a second time and agreed to.

On the motion of Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Cross,

Resolved, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider the ways and means for making good the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

In the Committee: Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Boyle reported that the Committee had come to a resolution.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Mr. Boyle reported the resolution and the same was read as follows:

Resolved, That towards making good the supply granted to His Majesty the following sum be granted out of the General Revenue Fund of the Province, for the financial year ending December, 1905: One hundred and sixty-two thousand seven hundred and twenty-two dollars and ninety-three cents (\$162,722.93).

The said resolution being read a second time was agreed to.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service for the financial year ending the thirty-first day of December, 1905.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a second time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the second time.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 82) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service for the financial year ending the thirty-first day of December, 1905."

Mr. Rutherford laid on the Table :

The Public Accounts for the Province of Alberta for the four months ending 31st December, 1905 : Period from 1st September, 1905, to 31st December, 1905.

Mr. Puffer, from the Railway Committee, presented the following report :

Your Committee beg leave to report the Bill to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Development Company.

Ordered, That the report be received and concurred in.

Moved by Mr. Rutherford, and seconded by Mr. Cross,

That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair, and that this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider of the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

Ordered, That Mr. Speaker do now leave the Chair.

The House accordingly resolved itself into Committee of Supply, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported that the Committee had come to several resolutions.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Mr. Boyle in accordance with an order of the House reported the following resolutions from the Committee of Supply, which were read as follows :

No. 1.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1906, the following sum : To defray expenses of Civil Government, One hundred and twenty-seven thousand eight hundred and six dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$127,806.67).

No. 2.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1906, the following sum : To defray the expenses of Legislation, Twenty-nine thousand four hundred and twenty-five dollars (\$29,425.00).

No. 3.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1906, the following sum : To defray expenses of Administration of Justice, Two hundred and twenty-one thousand two hundred dollars (\$221,200.00).

No. 4.—Resolved, That that there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1906, the following sum : To defray expenses of Public Works, Nine hundred and ninety-six thousand dollars (\$996,000.00).

No. 5.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1906, the following sum : To defray expenses of Education, Two hundred thousand dollars (\$200,000.00).

No. 6.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1906, the following sum : To defray expenses of Agriculture, Three hundred and fifteen thousand and fifty dollars (\$315,050.00).

No. 7.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1906 the following sum : To defray the expenses of Hospitals, Charities and Public Health, Thirty-three thousand and five hundred dollars (\$33,500.00).

No. 8.—Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1906, the following sum : To defray Miscellaneous Expenditure, Forty-five thousand one hundred dollars (\$45,100.00).

The said resolutions were then read a second time and agreed to.

On the motion of Mr. Rutherford, seconded by Mr. Cross,
Resolved, That this House do immediately resolve itself into a Committee to consider the ways and means for making good the Supply to be granted to His Majesty.

The House accordingly resolved itself into the said Committee.

In the Committee:

Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair and Mr. Boyle reported that the Committee had come to certain resolutions.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

Mr. Boyle reported the resolutions and the same were read as follows :

Resolved, That towards making good the Supply granted to His Majesty, the following sum be granted out of the General Revenue of the Province for the financial year ending December, 1906 : One million nine hundred and sixty-eight thousand and eighty-one dollars and sixty-seven cents (\$1,968,081.67).

The said resolution being read a second time was agreed to.

Resolved, That towards making good the supply granted to His Majesty, the following sum be granted out of the General Revenues of the Province : For that portion of the year 1907 up to and until the final passage of the Estimates of Expenditure for the financial year 1907, One hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00).

Resolved, That there be granted to His Majesty for the services of 1907, the following sum : For the purposes of the expenses of Legislative maintenance of Public Institutions, Salaries of the Government and Civil Service the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00).

The said resolutions being read a second time were agreed to.

Ordered, That Mr. Rutherford have leave to introduce a Bill for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of the Public Service for the financial year ending the 31st day of December, 1906, and for a portion of 1907.

He accordingly presented the Bill and the same was received and read a first time.

Ordered, That the said Bill be now read a second time.

The said Bill was read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 83) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read a third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money required for de-

fraying certain expenses of the Public Service for the financial year ending the thirty-first day of December, 1906, and for a portion of 1907."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 63) to incorporate The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Limited, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 63) be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 37) respecting the Medical Profession, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate the Western Oil and Coal Consolidated, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Bill be read a third time to-morrow.

The House adjourned at 10.15 o'clock p.m. to 2.30 o'clock p.m. to-morrow.

TUESDAY, MAY 8, 1906.

2.30 O'CLOCK P.M.

Mr. McLeod, from the Select Standing Committee on Printing, presented the following report :

Your Committee have agreed to recommend that the following be printed :

Statutes of this Session..... 2500 Copies.

Public Ordinances of the North-

West Territories..... 2500 Copies.

Journals of this Session..... 200 Copies.

Rules of the House..... 200 Copies.

Mechanics' Lien Act..... 500 Copies.

Land Titles Act..... 1000 Copies.

Liquor License Act..... 200 Copies.

Prairie Fires Act..... 500 Copies.

An Act to Prevent Frauds and

Perjuries in relation to Real

Property..... 500 Copies.

Public Works Act..... 500 Copies.

Departmental Reports, and such other reports, etc., as the Lieutenant Governor in Council may deem necessary.

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

Mr. McKenzie, from the Select Committee on Rules, Orders and Regulations, presented the following report :

That the said Committee recommend that Section 52 of the Rules, Orders and Forms of Proceedings of the House be amended by adding after the figures 450 in said section the following words, "and also in case of a Bill incorporating a Company a receipt from the Registrar of Joint Stock Companies for such sum as would be payable by the applicant or applicants for the incorporation of a Company with a similar capitalization to the capitalization of the Company sought to be incorporated by such Bill."

Ordered, That the report be now received and concurred in.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of Bill (No. 55) respecting Veterinary Surgeons.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 55) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting Veterinary Surgeons."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 78) empowering Municipalities to establish and operate Telephone Systems.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 78) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act empowering Municipalities to establish and operate Telephone Systems."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 18) to establish and incorporate a University for the Province of Alberta.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 18) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to establish and incorporate a University for the Province of Alberta."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 42) to amend the Edmonton Charter.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 42) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend the Edmonton Charter."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 63) to incorporate The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company, Limited.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 63) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Alberta Pacific Elevator Company."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 43) to incorporate The Western Oil and Coal Consolidated.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 43) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Western Oil and Coal Consolidated."

The Order of the Day being read for the second reading of the Bill (No. 77) to incorporate The Alberta Association of Architects. The said Bill was read a second time.

Ordered, That the Bill be committed to the Committee of the Whole to-day.

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 51) to amend Chapter 42 of the Ordinances of 1901, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate the Town of Red Deer," and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 51) to amend Chapter 42 of the Ordinances of 1901, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate the Town of Red Deer."

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 51) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to amend Chapter 42 of the Ordinances of 1901, intituled 'An Ordinance to incorporate the Town of Red Deer,'"

Resolved, That the House return to the Order of Business, "Bills."

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 37) respecting the Medical Profession.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 37) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act respecting the Medical Profession."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 77) to incorporate the Alberta Association of Architects, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 77) to incorporate the Alberta Association of Architects.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 77) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate the Alberta Association of Architects."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 23) to incorporate The Vermilion and Cold Lake Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 23) to incorporate The Vermilion and Cold Lake Railway Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 23) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Vermilion and Cold Lake Railway Company."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 47) to incorporate The Alberta Southern Railway, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 47) to incorporate The Alberta Southern Railway.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 47) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Alberta Southern Railway."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 40) to incorporate the Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 40) to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company.

Ordered, That the said Bill (No. 40) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 79) to incorporate The Kootenay, Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments,

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the the third reading of the Bill (No. 79) to incorporate The Kootenay, Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company.

Ordered, That the said Bill (No. 79) be now read the third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Kootenay, Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 69) to incorporate The Alberta North Western Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with a change in the title and with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 69) to incorporate The Alberta North Western Railway Company,

Ordered, That the said Bill (No. 69) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Alberta North Western Railway Company."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 49) to incorporate The Alberta Oil, Coal and Wheat Railway Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 49) to incorporate The Alberta Oil, Coal and Wheat Railway Company,

Ordered, That the said Bill (No. 49) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That this Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Alberta Oil, Coal and Wheat Railway Company."

The House, according to Order, resolved itself into Committee of the Whole on the Bill (No. 41) to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Development Company, and after some time spent therein Mr. Speaker resumed the Chair, and Mr. Boyle reported the Bill with amendments.

Ordered, That the report be now received.

The said amendments were then twice read and agreed to.

Ordered, To be read a third time to-day.

The Order of the Day being read for the third reading of the Bill (No. 41) to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Development Company.

Ordered, That the Bill (No. 41) be now read a third time.

The said Bill was accordingly read the third time.

Resolved, That the Bill do now pass, and be intituled "An Act to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Development Company."

The House adjourned at 10.30 o'clock p.m. to 2 o'clock p.m. to-morrow.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 9, 1906.

2 O'CLOCK P.M.

His Honour G. H. V. Bulyea, the Lieutenant Governor of the Province of Alberta, being seated on the Throne.

The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly read the titles of the Bills to be assented to as follows :

1. An Act respecting the Treasury Department and the Auditing of the Public Accounts.
2. An Act respecting Coroners.
3. An Act respecting the Public Service.
4. An Act respecting the Statutes.
5. An Act respecting Sheriffs and Deputy Sheriffs.
6. An Act respecting Commissioners to Administer Oaths.
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11. An Act respecting the Department of Agriculture.
12. An Act respecting the Department of the Provincial Secretary.
13. An Act to amend Chapter 24 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (Second Session), intituled "An Ordinance respecting Local Improvement Districts."
14. An Act to amend Chapter 25 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1901, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Villages."
15. An Act respecting the Transfer and Descent of Land.
16. An Act respecting suits against the Crown by Petition of Right.
17. An Act respecting Public Works.
19. An Act to incorporate the City of Wetaskiwin.
20. An Act to repeal Ordinance No. 28 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories of 1904, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The English Club."
21. An Act to incorporate the City of Medicine Hat.
22. An Act to incorporate The Edelweiss Club.
24. An Act to incorporate the City of Lethbridge.
25. An Act respecting The Alberta Canadian Insurance Company.
27. An Act to amend Chapter 39 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (First Session), intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate The Western Canada College."
28. An Act respecting Public Printing.
30. An Act for the benefit of Mechanics and Labourers.
31. An Act respecting Real Property in the Province of Alberta.
32. An Act to incorporate The Strathcona Club of the Town of Strathcona.
33. An Act to amend The Strathcona Radial Tramway Ordinance 1904.
35. An Act respecting The Wawanesa Mutual Insurance Company.
38. An Act to incorporate The Empire Club.
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46. An Act to confirm a certain By-law of the Town of St. Albert.

48. An Act respecting certain kinds of contemplated Municipal Public Works for the Town of Macleod.

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54. An Act to prevent Frauds and Perjuries in relation to Sales of Real Property.

56. An Act to make regulations with respect to Coal Mines.

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59. An Act to amend Chapter 35 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1904, intituled, "An Ordinance to incorporate The Investors' Guarantee Corporation of Canada."

29. An Act respecting the Dental Association of Alberta.

61. An Act to amend the Ordinances relating to the City of Calgary and to confirm certain By-laws of the said City and to consolidate the floating debt.

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64. An Act to amend Chapter 29 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1903 (Second Session), intituled "An Ordinance for the protection of Game."

65. An Act to amend Chapter 80 of the Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Estray Animals."

66. An Act to amend Chapter 43 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "The Edmonton Public Hospital."

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72. An Act to amend Chapter 22 of the Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1900, intituled "An Ordinance respecting Brands."

73. An Act to amend Chapter 87 of the Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance for the prevention of Prairie and Forest Fires."

74. An Act respecting the encouragement of the Sugar Beet Industry.

75. An Act to supplement the Revenues of the Crown in the Province of Alberta.

76. An Act for the relief of Daniel W. Henderson and Lloyd Austin.

80. An Act to amend Chapter 2 of The Consolidated Ordinances of the North-West Territories 1898, intituled "An Ordinance respecting the Legislative Assembly of the Territories."

81. An Act to incorporate The Red Deer Club.

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40. An Act to incorporate The Edmonton and Athabasca Railway Company.

79. An Act to incorporate The Kootenay, Alberta and Athabasca Railway Company.

51. An Act to amend Chapter 42 of the Ordinances of 1901, intituled "An Ordinance to incorporate the Town of Red Deer."

37. An Act respecting the Medical Profession.

77. An Act to incorporate The Alberta Association of Architects.

The assent of these Bills was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words:

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth assent to these Bills.

Mr. Speaker then said :

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOUR—

The Legislative Assembly of the Province of Alberta in Session assembled approach Your Honour at the close of our labours with sentiments of unfeigned loyalty and humbly beg to present for Your Honour's acceptance a Bill intituled "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money required for defraying certain expenses of Civil Government from the 1st day of September, 1905, to the thirty-first day of December, 1905, and for other purposes"; also

A Bill intituled "An Act for granting to His Majesty certain sums of money for the Civil Service for the financial year ending the thirty-first day of December, 1906, and for a portion of 1907, and for other purposes relating thereto, thus placing at the disposal of His Majesty the means by which the Government can be made efficient for the service and welfare of the Province of Alberta."

The assent of these Bills was announced by the Clerk of the Legislative Assembly in the following words :

His Honour the Lieutenant Governor doth thank the Legislative Assembly, accepts their benevolence and assents to the Bills.

His Honour then delivered the following Speech :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY :

In relieving you from the labours of the Session I thank you for the attention you have given to Public Duties as well as for the beneficial Legislation I have just sanctioned.

Since the opening of the Session the Province has been honoured by a visit from His Royal Highness Prince Arthur of Connaught.

The highly expressed interest taken by His Royal Highness in all that touches the prosperity and future of the Province and its people has been highly appreciated and the genial charm of His Royal Highness has endeared him to us all.

Public approval will no doubt be given to the Act making such liberal appropriation for the Public Service.

I have noticed with satisfaction the provision you have made for generous grants towards Roads and Bridges, and I assure you that the money voted will be expended by my Government with the strictest economy. I thank you for the appropriation you have made for the advancement of Agriculture and Dairying. I observe with pleasure the introduction of the Mechanic's Lien Act, the Municipal Telephone Act and the Land Titles Act, all of which I believe will be found beneficial. The Act with relation to the regulation of Coal Mines and the inspection of Steam Boilers will doubtless prove of very considerable assistance to those engaged in businesses affected. I also observe with pleasure your careful attention to the numerous private measures brought before your consideration.

In closing the Session I desire to commend your zeal in the Public Service and to join with you in expressing the sincere hope that the Guiding Hand of Divine Providence may bring you back next Session to devote your earnest attention to the best interest of the Province.

Mr. Finlay then said :

MR. SPEAKER AND GENTLEMEN OF THE LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY:

It is His Honour the Lieutenant Governor's will and pleasure that this Legislative Assembly be prorogued until Thursday the Ninth day of August next, and this Legislative Assembly is accordingly prorogued until Thursday the Ninth day of August next.

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